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Inari Konkon
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T-TOKA?!
.....
H-HE...
...SAW ME CH-CH—
CHANGE SHAPE?!

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WHAT AM I GOING TO DO? WHAT AM I GOING TO DOOO?!
MOM?
WHERE'S INARI?
OH GOOD!
MAYBE HE DION'T SEE ME CHANGING AFTER ALL!
UHHH. M-M-MAYBE THE TOILET?!
AHH
あわ
AHH
あわ
OH, OKAY.
ピシ
BANG

THAT WAS A CLOSE CALL!
I HAVE TO DO BETTER AT HIDING MYSELF WHEN I CHANGE INTO SOMEONE ELSE.
SLUMP
HEY, TOKA.
THE BATH WATER IS HOT AND READY FOR YOU.
MOM'S HERE
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.....
IN THE KITCHEN

WHAT'S WRONG, TOKA?
DAD... MOM...
I THINK IT'S POSSIBLE INARI..
KLATTA
...WAS GIVEN DIVINE POWER FROM THE GODS.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN "GROW UP"?
HEH HEH. YOU REALLY SHOULD GROW UP AND STOP SAYING THINGS LIKE THAT.
THERE YOU GO AGAIN, TOKA...
...BUT I GUESS THIS ISN'T THAT KIND OF MANGA.
HA HA
CLICK
INARI, THE BATH IS READY.
THERE'S NO WAY
TWITCH
OKAY!
FWISHHH
SPLOOSH
PITTER
PATTER

I'M SLEEPING IN HERE, TOO!
EEEEEEK!
PHEW, I'M BEAT. TIME FOR BED
カチャ!
CLICK
.....
STARE...
HE'S JUST AS WEIRD AS MASTER TOSHI.
TOMORROW, I'LL HAVE TO FIND TIME..
..TO GO AND GET ADVICE FROM MISTRESS UKA!

MISTRESS UKA ..IT SO HAPPENS THAT YESTERDAY IN THE CELESTIAL PLAINS
...THEY TALKED ABOUT MISS INARI GIVING YOU YOUR POWER BACK ..
PATTER PATTER
YOU WENT TO THE CELESTIAL PLAINS? WHY DIDN'T YOU TELL ME?
I SEE . HE SAW YOU?
I'M SORRY, IT'S PROBABLY MY FAULT FOR RUNNING AWAY WITHOUT ANSWERING HIS QUESTIONS.
IT SEEMS WE BOTH HAVE A HARD TIME BECAUSE OF OUR PERSISTENT BROTHERS.
MISS INARI DIDN'T WANT TO BOTHER YOU.
!
I JUST WANT INARI TO BE HAPPY...
IF I CAN GIVE THIS POWER BACK TO YOU, MY BPOTHER WILL STOP BEING SUSPICIOUS.
BUT...

..THEY TOLD ME THAT IF I LOSE MY POWER..
..I WON'T BE ABLE TO SEE YOU OR KON OR SPIRITS... EVER AGAIN.
INARI..
MISS INARI...
YOU'LL STILL HAVE YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS, AND KOJI...
BUT...
I WILL ALWAYS BE HERE WATCHING OVER YOU..
...AND..

HE HAS ALWAYS BEEN ABLE TO SEE ME.
..SO YEAH!
WE CAN ALWAYS TALK TO EACH OTHER THROUGH HIM.
I GUESS..
...WE'LL STILL HAVE TOKA, WON'T WE?
?
BY THE WAY...
..TONIGHT IS THE EVE OF THE MOTOMIYA FESTIVAL.
OH, OH YEAH! I'LL DEFINITELY BE THERE.

SINCE SUMMER VACATION STARTED, I HAVEN'T SEEN HIM EVEN ONCE.
N-N-NO! I DON'T HAVE ANY PLANS!
NO PLANS WITH KOJI?
HUH?!
BLUSH

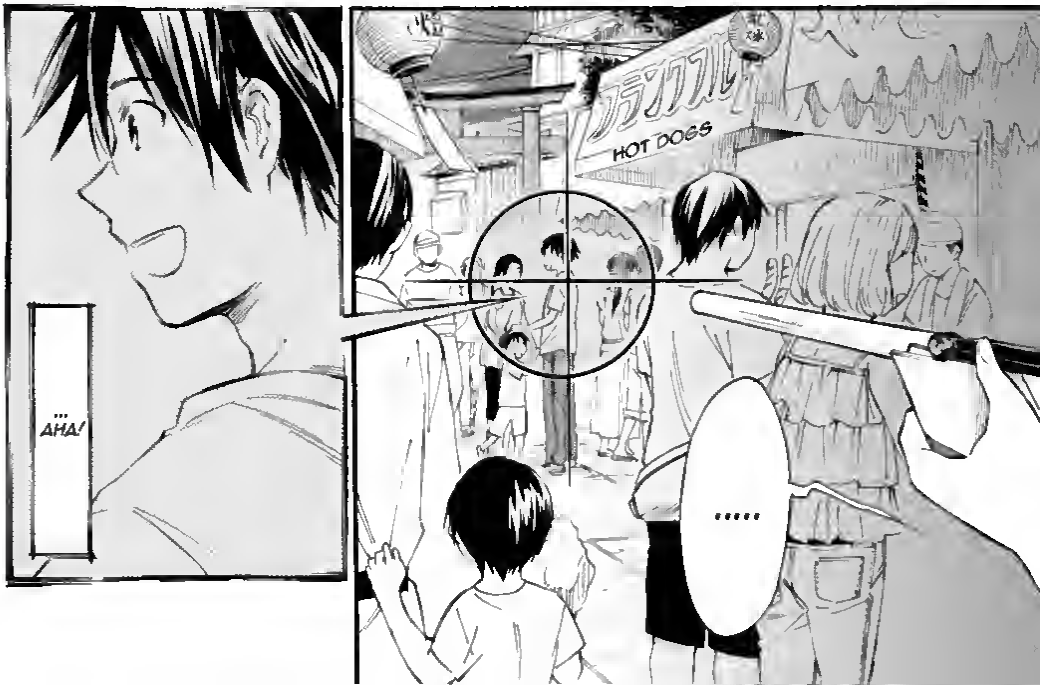
HE COMES EVERY YEAR WITH HIS FAMILY, SO I'M SURE YOU'LL SEE HIM.
R-REALLY?!
I WILL TELL TOKA THAT THERE IS NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT.
JUST TRY TO ENJOY YOUR LIFE NORMALLY THAT'S ALL I WANT.
!
MISTRESS UKA...

MOTOMIYA FESTIVAL
THE EVE OF THE MOTO-MIYA FESTIVAL

広島焼
I SURE HOPE KEIKO AND AKEMI..
..BECOME GOOD FRIENDS
INARI...
WHY DID YOU INVITE AKEMI, TOO?
ぼそっ
PSST
IT'S FINE! THE MORE THE MERRIER!
ちら…
PEEK
HEY MOM...
...WHERE'S INARI?
SHE JUST LEFT FOR THE FESTIVAL WITH HER FRIENDS
FWIP
くるっ
THAT'S RARE! YOU NEVER WANT TO GO TO SHRINE FESTIVALS!
HMM, I GUESS I'LL GO TOO, THEN.
…

WHAT'S WRONG, INARI?
OH, IT'S NOTHING...
IT WOULD SURE BE NICE IF KOJI CAME, HUH?
YEAH--
HUH?!
HA HA, I KNEW IT. YOU LIKE KOJI, DON'T YOU?
FRIED NOODLES
SHOOTING GALLERY
AH! A SHOOTING GALLERY!
LET'S TRY IT! ♪
YOU REALLY LIKE GAMES FOR BOYS, DON'T YOU?
FIDGET FIDGET
THANKS!
I'VE STARTED TO...
.. PICK UP ON THINGS LIKE THAT.
Y- YEAH...
BLUSH

BLUSH
AWW...
OH, AKEMI! YOU HAVE MY FULL SUPPORT!!
HM?
KEO-GHAK
IT'S ALL...
THANKS TO YOU, DON'T YOU THINK?


...AHA!
HOT DOGS
.....

DON'T COPY WHAT THESE KIDS ARE DOING!

OH!
MINE JUST DIED.
THAT WATCH.
WHICH ONE ARE YOU AIMING FOR, KEIKO?
WE DID OUR PART. AND NOW WE PRAY.
HOW CUTE.

HERE GOES!!
GETTING NERVOUS NEXT TO ANOTHER GIRL...
...I MUST BE CRAZY
ミレナ
Ahh
DO I JUST ADMIRE HER...?
OR IS THIS...?
BANG
YOU WIN THE BUNNY! NICE SHOT!
TA-DAH
GOOD JOB
.....
AH!

I DIDN'T WANT THIS!
!
UH, UMM...IF YOU DON'T MIND...I'D LIKE...
MEH, WHATEVER.
I BET INARI WOULD LIKE IT.
SLUMP
Uuu...

H-HELLO! HA HA, WHAT A COINCIDENCE.
OH? HEY INARI!
AH--
CHOO!
KIND OF?
ARE YOU HERE BY YOURSELF?
LIKE, RIGHT NOW I'M ALONE, BUT IT'S NOT LIKE I'M ALONE, YOU KNOW?
?
OH, I CAN GO, TOO
NO, NO, IT'S FINE.
KOJI! I'M GOING WITH SHIRO TO WATCH THE BON DANCE.
...!

THANK YOU KOJI'S MOM!!!
UH... SURE.
OKAY?
YOU CAN HANG OUT WITH INARI!
ツン! POKE
TAKE IT EASY
OCTOPUS DUMPLINGS OR A HOT DOG?
NO, I SHOULDN'T CHOOSE ANYTHING MESSY.
AH... HA HA, SURE, UMM..
BA-DUMP BA-DUMP
AH!
IS THERE SOMETHING YOU WANT TO EAT?
?!
GOT IT. LET'S GO.
BY THE WAY, INARI, YOUR YUKATA LOOKS CUTE!
SMOOTH さらり
GOOD ROLL
SH-SHAVED ICE!

I'M SO HAPPY I MIGHT DIE--
ほや
BLUSH
EEK?!
SLAM
AH, EXCUSE ME!
I'M GOING TO LOSE SIGHT OF HIM.
CHATTER
ガヤ
KO--
I NEED TO CATCH UP, OR--
S-SORRY, UMM... WAIT!
CHATTER
ガヤ
KO-KOJI?
OOF!

TAKE IT EASY
S.M.C.
LET'S GO!
OH...
キュ
BA-DUMP

KOJI...
THIS YUKATA IS REALLY TIGHT AND HARD TO WALK IN...
I WENT THROUGH ALL THIS EFFORT TO LOOK CUTE
ALL IN THE HOPE THAT YOU WOULD NOTICE ME
WISHING FOR ANYTHING MORE THAN THIS WOULD BE SELFISH
I'M SO NERVOUS, I THINK MY HEART MIGHT STOP
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP

MISTRESS UKA!
DON'T DRINK TOO MUCH!
御神酒
HOLY SAKE
YOU WORRY TOO MUCH!
HIC.

AH!

HM?

WHISH
THEY FOUND EACH OTHER! THEY LOOK SO SWEET!
GO GET HIM, INARI!
A SUSPICIOUS FIGURE
FWISH
FWIP
AH?!
SWIP
HE LOOKS JUST LIKE MY BROTHER, TOSHI.
THIS IS HER BUZZ WEAPON OFF
SHOOOOH
JUST AS INARI SAID BEFORE...
I SEE NOW.
STARE...

EEEKKKK...
HUH?
WHAT IS IT?
CRASH
SMASH
HUFF
HUFF
YOU CALLED?
?
?
I THINK I JUST HEARD A FAMILIAR SCREAM...!
I DIDN'T HEAR ANYTHING.
MAYBE IT WAS YOUR IMAGINATION.
HA HA
YOU'RE PROBABLY RIGHT!

SOMEONE CALL THE POLICE!
AHHH, UKA..♥ I CAN FINALLY HOLD YOU...♥
HOW DID TOSHI GET IN HERE?!
I THOUGHT I PUT UP THE MAGICAL BARRIER...
SNIFF
SNIFF
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
HUH?
YOU FINALLY TOOK DOWN THE BARRIER AND LET ME IN! HAVE YOU COME TO ACCEPT MY LOVE?
BA-DUMP
HUFF
IT'S OKAY, IT WILL ONLY HURT IN THE BEGINNING.
C-COULD IT BE...
...THAT MY DIVINE POWER IS...
...NO LONGER STRONG ENOUGH?
BA-DUMP

CLEARLY SCROSSED OUT
カミを見る目
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
.....
YOU WERE DOING SOMETHING SIMILAR TO INARI, WERE YOU NOT?!
BAM
DON'T COMPARE ME TO HIM!

S-S...
...SOME-THING...

...IS IN THE AIR HERE.
SURROUNDED BY COUPLES
SNAP
?!
ACK?!
DO ALL THESE PEOPLE THINK THAT WE ARE A-A-ALSO--

OW! YEAH, SORRY.
YOU SCRAPED YOUR FOOT, TOO
Looks painful
OH NO! MY SANDAL!
ARE YOU OKAY?

すっ
SHAA
OH WELL, I'M TOUGH! SO IT'S O--
HERE.

...
HUH?!
I'LL GIVE YOU A PIGGYBACK RIDE.
I CAN'T JUST..
...LET YOU WALK AROUND BAREFOOT.

THE SHRINE...
THE FESTIVAL...
奉
TAKE IT EASY
S.M.C.
LET THE GOOD TIMES ROLL
...THANK GOODNESS EVERYTHING'S ALL RED.
SKWEEZ

THAT WAY, KOJI WON'T NOTICE...
...HOW RED MY CHEEKS ARE NOW, TOO.

HM?
HUH?

KOJI...
...DID YOU GET TALLER?
HUH?

Ah!
あ！
YOUR SHOULDERS SEEM WIDER, TOO...
...COMPARED TO LAST YEAR.
YEAH, I GET GROWING PAINS SOMETIMES.
SO, EVEN THOUGH YOU SEE ME EVERY DAY, YOU NOTICED, HUH?
OF COURSE! I MEAN...

AH...
REALLY?

UHH...

...I'M ALWAYS...
...WATCHING YOU, KOJI.
TAKE IT EASY
M.C.

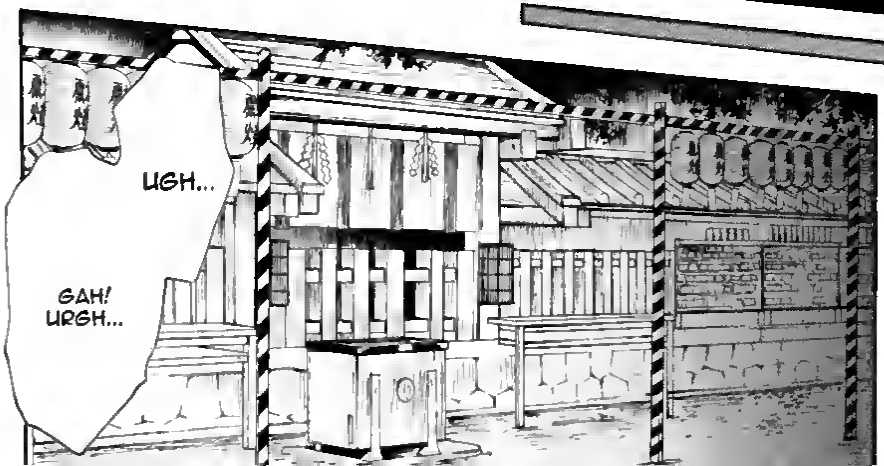
..REALLY GOT INTO PEOPLE WATCHING RECENTLY!
U-UH, I...
AH, LIKE WHEN YOU'VE BEEN STANDING AT THE MAIN GATE IN THE MORNINGS?
YES! THAT!
PLIP
PLIP
I-I...

AHHH...I KEEP AVOIDING THE ISSUE.

I KNOW THAT JUST WAITING AROUND WON'T DO ANYTHING...
..BUT I STILL DON'T THINK I HAVE A CHANCE.
FOR NOW...
..THIS MAKES ME PLENTY HAPPY.

.....

...?
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP


UGH...
GAH!
URGH...

SHAA
WAIT!
THIS TIME...
DON'T EVEN LOOK AT HIM
SHOULD WE JUST LEAVE HIM THERE?
TWITCH
TWITCH
UKAAA... I LIKE THESE GAMES YOU PLAY WITH ME. ♥
?!
..I'M NOT LETTING YOU GO UNTIL I GET AN ANSWER.
YOU DIDN'T...
...GIVE INARI ANY DIVINE POWER, RIGHT?
TELL ME I'M WRONG.
...!

RAWR
DON'T TOUCH HER WITH YOUR DIRTY HANDS, YOU SWINE!
TELL THAT PERVERT TO GET AWAY FROM YOU, UKA! YOU POOR THING!
CREAK
YOU'RE ONE TO TALK.

THIS IS NO GOOD, MISTRESS UKA.
IF YOU DON'T MAKE SOMETHING UP NOW, HE WON'T GIVE UP.
ANSWER ME!
.....
HE CAN'T HEAR THE VOICES OF FAMILIARS!!
神様の声は聞こえない

THERE'S NO NEED TO WORRY.
I WANTED TO BE CLOSER TO INARI.
..SO I MADE MYSELF VISIBLE TO HER.
THAT'S THE TRUTH, RIGHT?

YOU'RE NOT LYING TO ME?

NOD
コクン

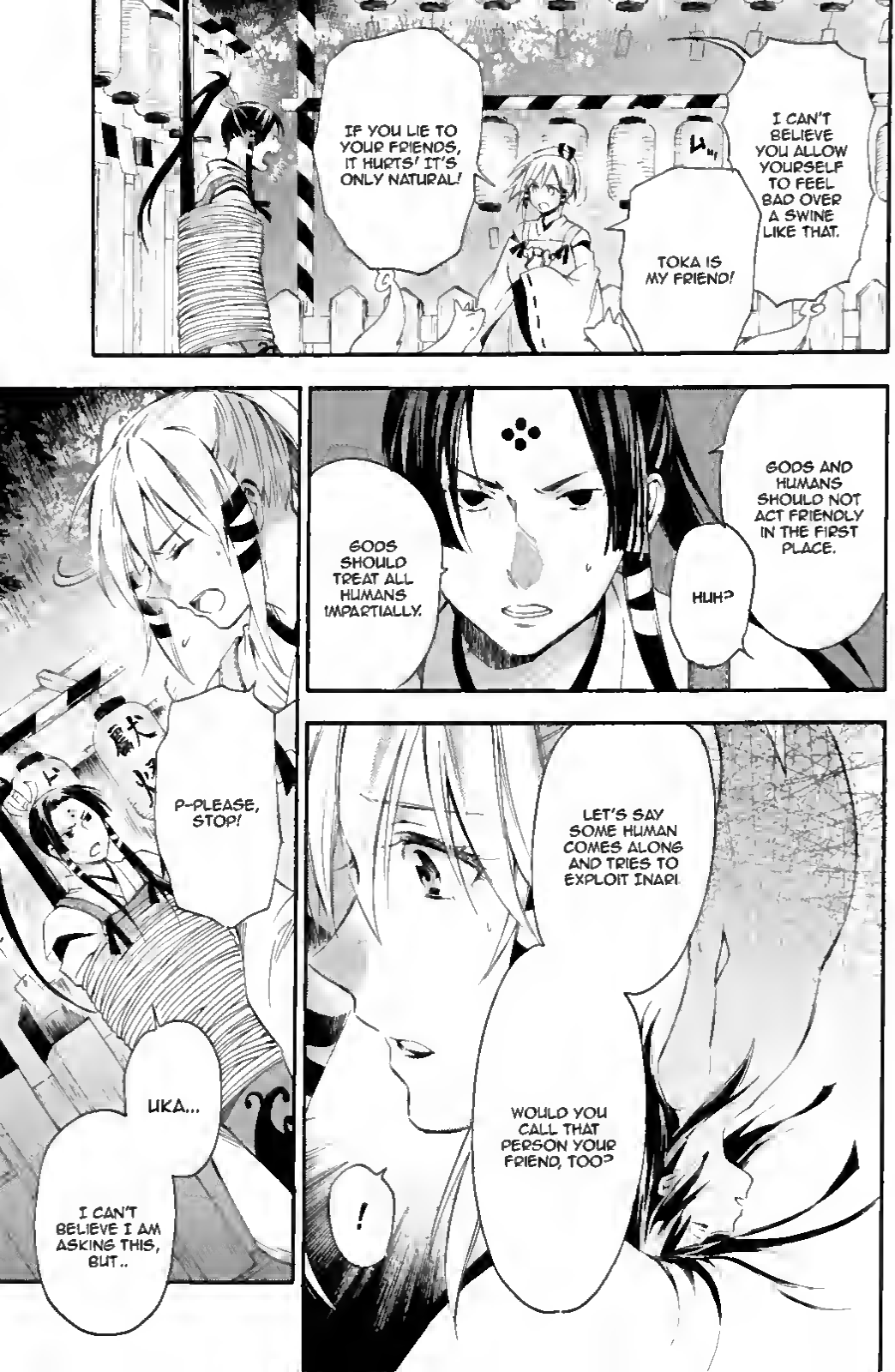
TWINGE
ズキ…

...
SORRY TO HAVE BOTHERED YOU.
AH...
WHISH!

THE GODS HAVE BOUND INARI WITH THE CHAINS OF THEIR DIVINE POWER .
..AND MADE HER A GRIEF CHILD-- A MERE TOOL...
BECOME ONE WITH ME!
MY DIVINE POWER..!
..TO BE UNLEASHED UPON HUMANITY!

TRANSLATION: I THOUGHT THE GODS WERE TRYING TO TURN INARI INTO ONE OF THEIR OWN!

WELL IF THE GODDESS SAYS IT'S NOTHING...
..THEN I GUESS I MUST BE OVERTHINKING THE WHOLE THING
献燈
TOKA...
I'M SORRY.
WHY ARE YOU APOLOGIZING?!


IF YOU LIE TO YOUR FRIENDS, IT HURTS! IT'S ONLY NATURAL!
TOKA IS MY FRIEND!
I CAN'T BELIEVE YOU ALLOW YOURSELF TO FEEL BAD OVER A SWINE LIKE THAT.
GODS AND HUMANS SHOULD NOT ACT FRIENDLY IN THE FIRST PLACE.
HUH?
GODS SHOULD TREAT ALL HUMANS IMPARTIALLY.
P-PLEASE, STOP!
UKA...
I CAN'T BELIEVE I AM ASKING THIS, BUT..
LET'S SAY SOME HUMAN COMES ALONG AND TRIES TO EXPLOIT INARI.
WOULD YOU CALL THAT PERSON YOUR FRIEND, TOO?
!

W---
...YOU WISH YOU WERE HUMAN, ARE YOU?
...YOU AREN'T GOING TO SAY THAT...
...THEIR ENTIRE LIVES ARE BUT ONLY A FLASH OF LIGHT TO US
NO MATTER HOW DEEP OF A RELATION-SHIP YOU HAVE WITH A HUMAN..
I SHOULDN'T HAVE TO TELL YOU THIS.
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?!

I DON'T THINK...
...IT IS GOOD FOR YOU TO SPEND SO MUCH TIME WITH THEM
I'M FINE!
I DO NOT REGRET THIS PATH I'VE TAKEN
IF I CAN ENSURE THEIR HAPPI-NESS..
..EVEN FOR JUST A MOMENT, THAT'S ALL I ASK...

JUST THINK..
..IF I HADN'T MET MISTRESS UKA...
...NONE OF THIS WOULD BE HAPPENING RIGHT NOW.
TAKE IT EASY
S.M.C
DONUT HOLES

NOW IT IS MY TURN...
...TO HELP HER FIND HAPPINESS.
Chapter 11 - END

Chapter 12

BUZZZ
BUZZZ
SUMMER.
AUGUST, THE MONTH WHEN THE RICE CROPS MATURE
BUZZZ
BUZZZ
WHAT A HOT DAY...
宇迦之御魂
UKA-NO-MITAMA
WHY ARE WE SO FURRY?
SWISHH
!
MISS INARI
ARE YOU GUYS HAVING A NICE SWIM?
GOOD MORNING!

SIZZLE
...BURNING THE MARRIAGE CANDIDATE PICTURES SHE WAS SENT.
SHE'S OVER THERE IN THE SHADE..
I SEE YOU HAVE A BAG WITH YOU. ARE YOU HEADED SOMEWHERE?
YUP! IS MISTRESS UKA HERE?
SPLISH
SPLASH

OH?
I CAME TO LET YOU KNOW THAT I'M GOING TO THE BEACH WITH MY FRIENDS. I'LL BE BACK TOMORROW!
ROAR
ゴォオオオ!
.....
AH, INARI! DID YOU COME FOR A VISIT?!
...
THE BEACH...I WOULD HAVE LIKED TO GO, TOO...
IF YOU WENT BACK TO THE CELESTIAL PLAINS, YOU COULD GO TO THE BEACH AS MUCH AS YOU WANT
YOUR FATHER, SUSANOO-NO-MIKOTO, WOULD BE VERY GLAD
スト〜
SPLISH
I SEE
HAVE A GOOD TIME
THANKS!
I'LL BUY YOU A SOUVENIR!

.....
WHAT AM I THINKING?
I WILL ALWAYS BE HERE...
WATCHING OVER YOU.
I WANTED TO GO WITH...
IT'S NOT THAT.
I'M SUPPOSED TO BE A GOD.
WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME?
WHAT AM I DOING?
BUZZ
BUZZ

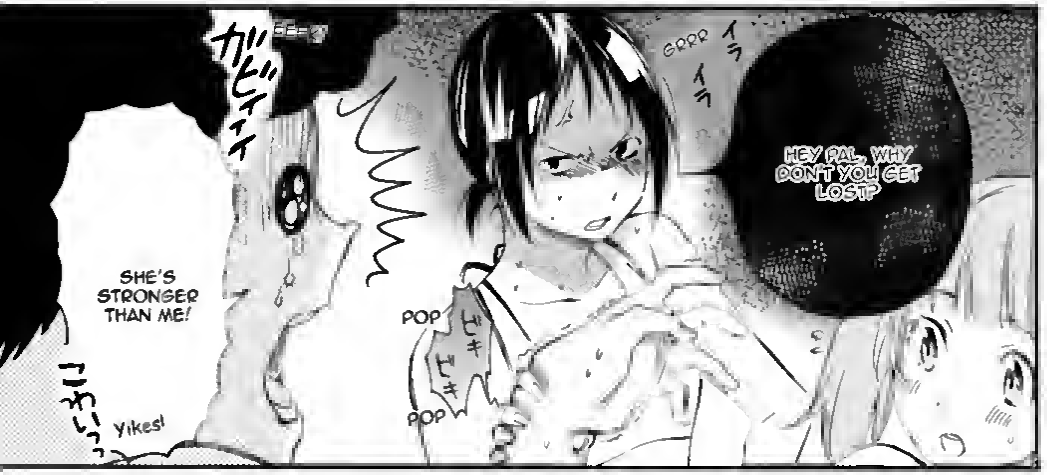
THIS IS GREAT! ☆
I LOVE SUMMER.
KLATTER
KLATTER
KLATTER
GLAD I GOT THAT FIRST DRAFT OVER WITH
IT'S SO NICE TO BE WITH ALL THESE LADIES. ♥

!
PAT PAT
THE MORE THE MERRIER!
IT'S NO PROBLEM AT ALL.
THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR INVITING ME
M-MY...
..MY PARENTS ARE ALWAYS BUSY WITH WORK...
..SO I WAS ALWAYS JEALOUS OF OTHER KIDS WHO GOT TO DO THINGS LIKE THIS.
I'M REALLY GLAD I CAME.
Ahhh

BLUE SKY...
...BLUE SEA...
WANT A SNACK?
.....
OUR SCARY SON WITH THE OVER-ACTIVE IMAGINATION DIDN'T COME EITHER, SO DON'T WORRY!
HERE, CHIKA, HAVE ONE OF THESE
NO THANKS.
FWIP
...?

BEAM
...CUTE GIRLS...
IT'S HOT
AND NOT-SO-CUTE GIRLS.
.....
HEY, IS IT JUST THE TWO OF YOU?
HUH? ACTUALLY, THERE'S FOUR OF US. WHY?
TWITCH

SNATCH
カ!!!
EEEEEKKK?!
OKAY, WE'LL GO GRAB TWO MORE GUYS...
...AND THEN WE CAN ALL COUPLE UP! ☆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GRRR
イラ
イラ
HEY PAL, WHY DON'T YOU GET LOST?
SHE'S STRONGER THAN ME!
POP
ビキ
ビキ
POP
Yikes!

HEY INARI!
WANNA GO RELAX IN THE WATER OVER THERE?
YEAH, LET'S GO!
...
GREAT JOB, KEIKO!

THOSE TWO...
..LOOK SO MUCH FRIENDLIER NOW.
GOOD.
WHOOSH
BY THE WAY...
...DID YOU FINISH ALL OF YOUR SUMMER HOME-WORK?
WHISH
ME? HA HA!
SAME HERE!
SWISH
I'M NOT LIKE AKEMI!
!
HMPH!

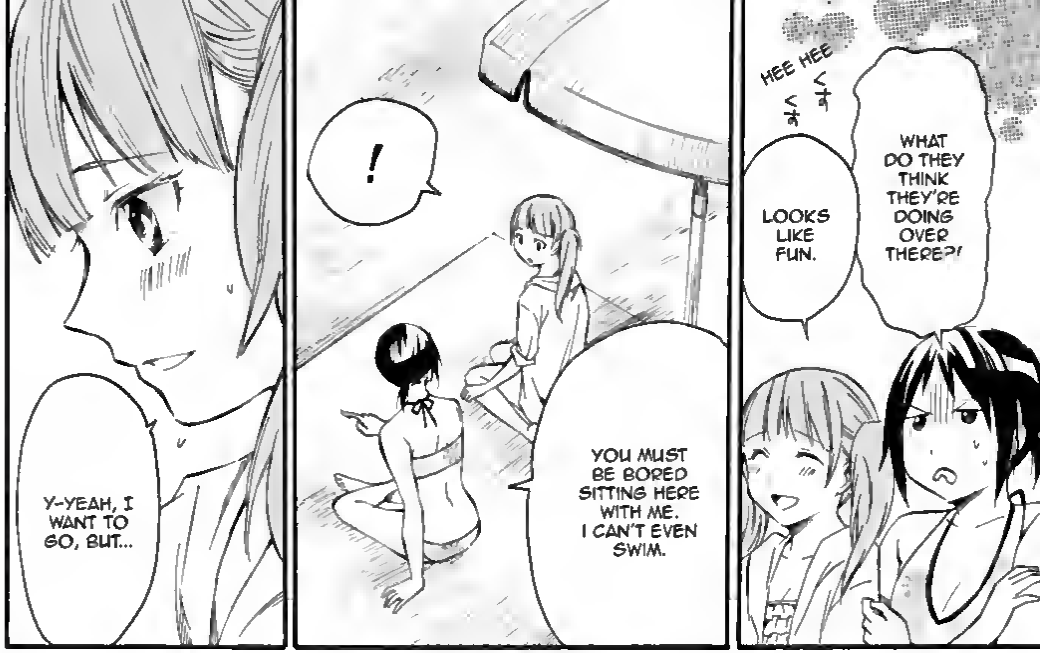
Sheesh
STOP ALL THIS SCHOOL TALK AND LET'S HAVE FUN!
YOU'RE THE ONE THAT BROUGHT IT UP.
WHOOSH
CHIKA...
YOU'VE BEEN WEIRD SINCE THIS MORNING.
ARE YOU...
WHOOSH
AH, S-SORRY.
WHOOSH
!!
.. OKAY?

?
SHUDDER
AHH...
WHOOSH
WHOAAA!
HEY, ARE YOU OKAY?
WHAT A HUGE WAVE!
GAH!
.....
IF KEIKO HAD BEEN HERE FOR THAT WAVE, SHE WOULD HAVE DROWNED FOR SURE
BLEAGH, PEH, YEAH, I'M FINE
SPLASH SPLASH
INARI, YOU OKAY?
WHEEZE
WHEEZE

B-BUT SHE'S SO TOUGH...!
TWITCH
ぴく
SHE TRIED TO PRETEND SHE COULD SWIM AND ALMOST DROWNED!
What an idiot!
AH HA HA! THAT'S RIGHT!
KEIKO GOT REALLY MESSED UP BY A WAVE LAST YEAR.
ぴく
TWITCH
ろぐっ
PFF
THIS YEAR SHOULD BE EVEN MORE FUN..
.. BECAUSE AKEMI CAME, TOO!
Okay!
YEAH?
INARI..
...

I, UM..
...I DON'T KNOW IF I CAN BE FRIENDS WITH AKEMI.
HUH?
DON'T TELL HER I SAID THIS!
I MEAN I KNOW SHE IS A NICE GIRL BUT...
YEAH, SHE'S WON-DERFUL!
. AND IT'S NOT THAT I HATE HER BUT..
...IT'S LIKE WE'RE NOT ON THE SAME WAVELENGTH OR SOMETHING...

I'M MAKING IT OUR GOAL TO BRING ALL OF US CLOSER TOGETHER!
WHOOSH
NOT AGAIN!
CHIKA...
...WE ALL CAME HERE TO HAVE FUN TOGETHER, SO THAT SEEMS SUCH A SHAME.
OH!
I KNOW!
SHUDDERRR
BLEASH
HEY, YOU OKAY (AGAIN?)
WHOOSH
.....
CHATTER


HEE HEE
WHAT DO THEY THINK THEY'RE DOING OVER THERE?!
LOOKS LIKE FUN.
!
YOU MUST BE BORED SITTING HERE WITH ME. I CAN'T EVEN SWIM.
Y-YEAH, I WANT TO GO, BUT...

I FEEL LIKE SHE'S BEEN AVOIDING ME SINCE THE FESTIVAL.
THAT IS POSSIBLE. SHE'S QUITE SHY, YOU KNOW.
..IF I GO OVER THERE WITH THEM, IT MIGHT MAKE CHIKA UNCOMFORTABLE.
CHIKA? WHY DO YOU SAY THAT?

UP UNTIL NOW, I REALLY HAVEN'T HAD ANY FRIENDS TO GO ON TRIPS WITH...
I'M NOT SURE HOW TO ACT.
CHIKA DIDN'T HAVE ANY FRIENDS UNTIL JUNIOR HIGH TOO, YOU KNOW.
HUH?

LAST YEAR, SHE AND INARI STARTED IN THE SAME CLASS AND...
...BECAUSE INARI STARTED TALKING TO CHIKA, WE ALL BECAME FRIENDS.
CHIKA, DO YOU LIKE DRAWING?
MY DAD DRAWS COMICS FOR A LIVING.

EVER SINCE SHE AND CHIKA BECAME FRIENDS, IT HAS ALWAYS BEEN THE THREE OF US.
INARI AND I HAVE BEEN FRIENDS SINCE WE WERE LITTLE
I SEE..

INARI IS THE TYPE OF PERSON WHO CAN MAKE FRIENDS WITH ANYONE.
IT REALLY IMPRESSES ME HOW NICE SHE IS TO PEOPLE.
TWINGE
ズキン…
ME, TOO.

AH!
NO PROB-LEM.
DON'T TELL THEM I TOLD YOU ALL THIS!
…DON'T THINK I COULD EVER BE LIKE INARI.
I…

WOW! WHAT A CUTE LITTLE LOG CABIN!
IT'S JUST PERFECT FOR FOUR PEOPLE, DON'T YOU THINK?
SILENCE...
K-KEIKO I'VE GOT SOME-THING TO ASK YOU...
PEST
PEST
I ALREADY KNOW! YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT THOSE TWO, RIGHT?
HOW DID YOU KNOW?!

UM...
LOOK, WE HAVE A TV!
MAYBE WE CAN FIND SOMETHING TO WATCH?
I THINK...
SWISH
A-ANYWAY, LET'S PUT OUR HEADS TOGETHER AND...
CLUNK
コテン
GOOD NIGHT.
ZZZ
...I'LL GO BUY SOME JUICE. BE RIGHT BACK!
CLICK
HUH?
AKEMI...?
SLUMP

HEY, CHIKA...LET'S HAVE FUN LIKE WE ALWAYS DO.
I CAN'T.
AKEMI AND I MIGHT AS WELL BE FROM DIFFERENT DIMENSIONS.
I DON'T THINK THAT'S...
WE DON'T HAVE ANYTHING IN COMMON
BUT AKEMI LIKES GIRLS' COMICS, TOO!
YOU GUYS SHOULD TALK ABOUT THAT!
SHE'D JUST THINK I'M A NERD.
HMMPH!
HOW COULD YOU SAY THAT?! WHAT'S WRONG WITH NERDS?!
THIS IS ALL YOUR FAULT ANYWAY!
?!
YOU BROUGHT AKEMI ALONG AND NOW EVERYTHING IS WEIRD!
ERRR

I LIKED IT BETTER...
...WHEN IT WAS JUST THE THREE OF US!!
DON'T BE SUCH A JERK, CHIKA!
WHA?!
SHAA
CHIKA...
WHY ARE YOU SAYING THAT?
I JUST THOUGHT IT WOULD BE GREAT IF WE COULD ALL BE FRIENDS
SLAM
HUFF
.....

OFFICE
管理棟
..BUT IT'S CLEAR SHE DOESN'T WANT TO TALK TO ME.
I HEARD THAT CHIKA LIKES GIRLS' COMICS, TOO. I WAS GOING TO ASK HER ABOUT IT...
HUFF
はあ…
HEY! AREN'T YOU THAT GIRL FROM THIS AFTERNOON..?!
I'M HAVING A BARBECUE WITH ALL MY MUSCULAR FRIENDS OVER THERE.
WANT TO GO TOGETHER? IT'S A MUSCLE MAN BARBECUE!
フル
フル
DUN DUN DUN
たた…
!
IT S-SEEMS WE MEET AGAIN!
ズズズ
DUN
DUN DUN
EEEEKKK?!

RIGHT!
MISS INARI!
BLAH BLAH
TWITCH
ビクッ
SHE GOT CAUGHT BY THAT WEIRD GUY AGAIN' LIKE A DEER CAUGHT IN THE HEADLIGHTS...
A-AKEMI!
WHOOSH
INARI...
...KONKON...
...CHANGE SHAPE INTO...
...KEIKO!
ぽんっ
POOF

THERE YOU ARE..
..AKEMI!
HEYYY!
I WONDERED WHAT WAS TAKING YOU SO LONG.
AHHHHHHHH!!!
IT'S A MON-STER!!
HE WAS TRAUMATIZED... POOR GUY
...ARE YOU O--
AKEMI..
SOB

SOB
I'M SO H-HAPPY...
...YOU CAME...
SOB
I WAS SO S-SCARED.
PLIP PLIP
--KAY?!
!
IT'S OKAY!
I'M HERE FOR YOU!
TH-THANKS
HOW CAN SHE BE SO ADORABLE?!
SNIFF SNIFF
すんすん
SKWEEZ

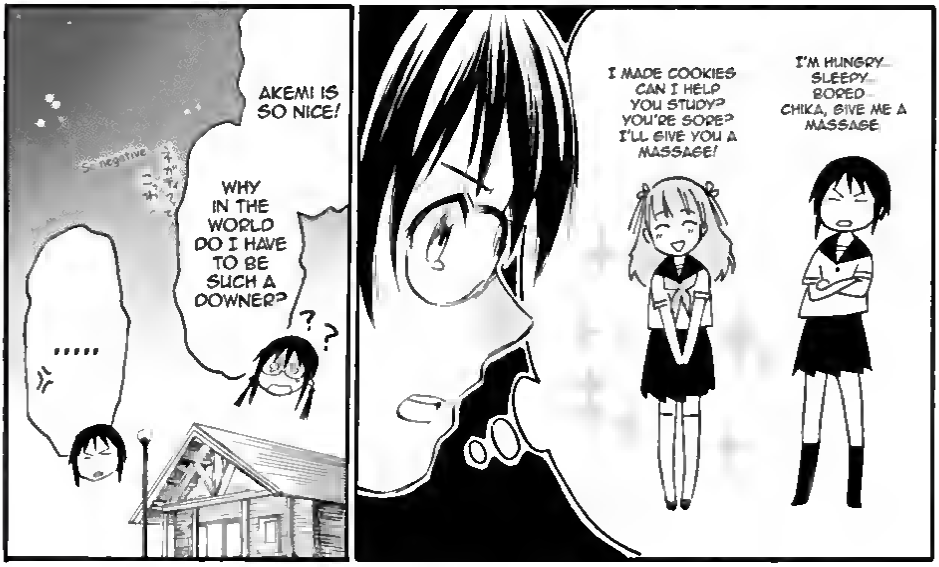
I HOPE I'M NOT GETTING IN THE WAY OF YOUR FUN WITH INARI AND CHIKA
YEAH?
KEIKO...
!
YOU'RE NOT!
OF...
...COURSE...
...IT IS .
AH HA HA...
THESE CLOSE CALLS MAKE ME SO NERVOUS .
HUH? OH, THANKS..
B-BUT THAT'S NOT...
DON'T WORRY! I'M SURE CHIKA WILL COME AROUND!
...VERY KEIKO-LIKE...
ギクリンコ
TWITCH

Y-YOU WERE AWAKE?!
CLICK
BEEP
YOU GUYS WERE TOO LOUD. NO WAY COULD I SLEEP
RUSTLE
IF YOU'RE GOING TO CRY, THEN WHY DID YOU SAY WHAT YOU DID?
TWITCH
SNIFF
SNIFF

HUH?
AKEMI..
...WAS REALLY WORRIED THAT MAYBE YOU HATE HER.

DON'T BE SILLY.
...DIDN'T WANT TO WATCH YOU THREE BECOME GOOD FRIENDS AND LEAVE ME ALL ALONE.
I JUST...
I KNOW YOU'RE SHY, BUT IT WOULDN'T HURT YOU TO TRY AND GET TO KNOW HER.

HAVE SOME MORE CONFIDENCE.
IF YOU CAN BE FRIENDS WITH ME, THEN YOU CAN BE FRIENDS WITH ANYONE...!
I mean it!
INARI WOULD NEVER...
..LET THAT HAPPEN.


AKEMI IS SO NICE!
So negative
WHY IN THE WORLD DO I HAVE TO BE SUCH A DOWNER?
.....
I MADE COOKIES CAN I HELP YOU STUDY? YOU'RE SOPE? I'LL GIVE YOU A MASSAGE!
I'M HUNGRY SLEEPY BORED CHIKA, GIVE ME A MASSAGE

AHHHHHH!!!
...
?!
MISS INARI...CAN I ASK A QUESTION
?
YOU'RE NOT REALLY GOING TO GO BACK TO THE CABIN AS KEIKO, ARE YOU?
.....
WHAT'S WRONG, KEIKO?!
I, UH, I GOTTA GO...
...TO THE TOILET!
SAME EXCUSE EVERY TIME.
THEN, LET'S HURRY BACK!
W-W-WHAAP!
NO! I REMEMBER SEEING A PUBLIC RESTROOM BACK THERE... WAIT HERE!
AH...
RUSTLE

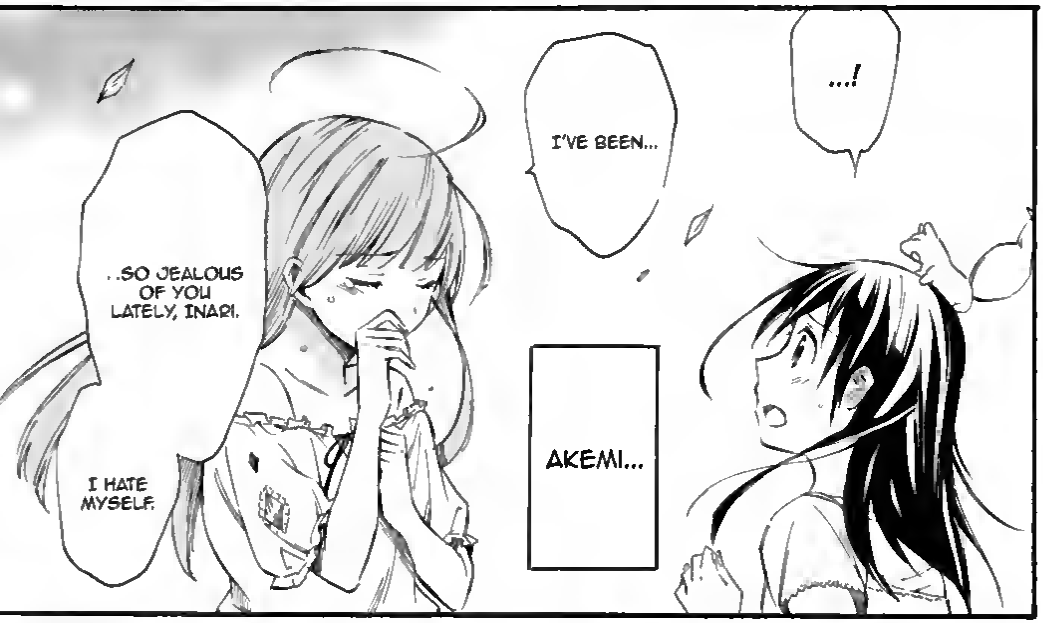
RUSTLE
MEOW
RUSTLE
TWITCH
UHH...
AH...!
AKEMI, THERE YOU ARE!
!
I-INARI?!
HUFF
HUFF
WHY ARE YOU HERE?
I WAS TAKING A WALK AND SAW KEIKO BACK THERE.
SHE SAID SHE WAS DEAD TIRED...
...AND THAT SHE WOULD MEET US BACK AT THE CABIN
BUT...

LET'S GO BACK TOGETHER.
I DON'T WANT TO GO BACK.
YOU MUST BE TIRED, TOO.
I'M HERE FOR YOU!
IT'S OKAY!

THE PERSON I'M TRYING TO BE FRIENDS WITH WON'T EVEN TALK TO ME.
I CAN'T EVEN TALK TO MY MOM AND DAD ABOUT IT BECAUSE I DON'T WANT TO WORRY THEM.
AND...

...
HUH?

..ONLY EVER
...TALKS ABOUT YOU.
KEIKO...


...!
I'VE BEEN...
..SO JEALOUS OF YOU LATELY, INARI.
I HATE MYSELF.
AKEMI...

I...
I'D DO ANYTHING...
I...
UP UNTIL RECENTLY, I WAS ALWAYS JEALOUS OF AKEMI. BUT THAT'S NOT A GOOD FEELING TO HAVE.
IS THERE SOME WAY I CAN HELP HER?

ANYTHING AT ALL!
I WANT TO BECOME...
...YOU!

AKE--
WHOOSH
?!
WHOOSH
ALL THIS DIVINE POWER...
MISS INARI!
AH? WHAT?
WHAT IS THIS?!

EVEN IF IT IS MY DIVINE POWER...I CAN'T CONTROL IT...
WHAT DO I DO?!
IF I DON'T STOP THIS...
I WANT TO BECOME...
...YOU!
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO GRANT AKEMI HER WISH, ARE YOU?!
HUH?!
Chapter 12 - END

Chapter 13

RUSTLE
I WANT TO BECOME...
...YOU!

...ISN'T ABOUT WHETHER OR NOT TO USE THIS DIVINE POWER.
I...

MISS INARI, PLEASE TRY TO CALM YOURSELF... CALM DOWN!
AHH
あん
あん

.....
RIGHT NOW
..WHAT I NEED TO DO FOR AKEMI...

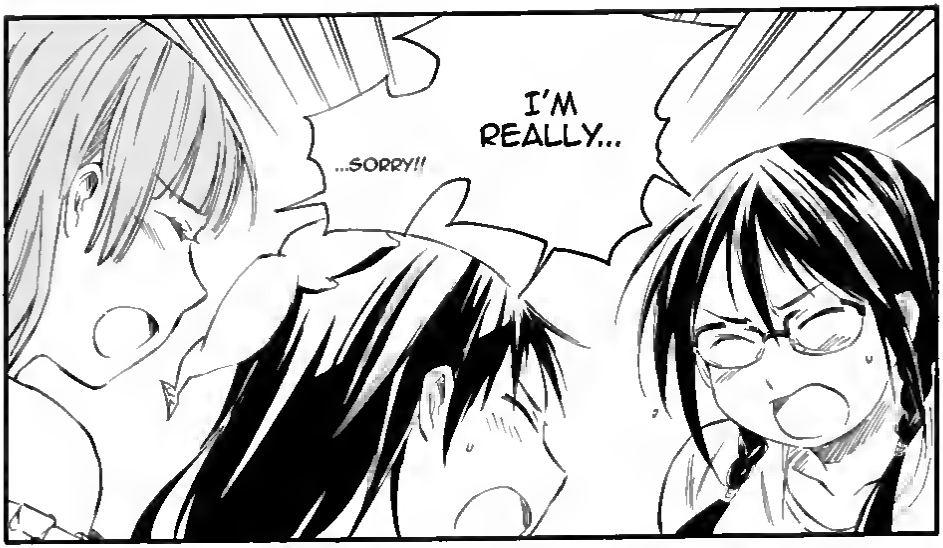
BOYS LIKE YOU AND YOU'RE SO SMART.
YOU HAVE ALL THE THINGS I DON'T.
...?
I...
...WANTED TO BE YOU, TOO!
HEH HEH.
I GUESS WE'RE THE SAME.
I THOUGHT I COULD BE HAPPY IF I BECAME YOU.
THAT'S NOT TRUE!
I'M NOT ANYTHING SPECIAL...
OH.
AH!

SO, IF YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT SOMETHING, TRY TALKING TO ME.
I CAN'T TURN YOU INTO SOMEONE ELSE, BUT I CAN LISTEN.
THAT'S WHAT FRIENDS DO!
MISS INARI...

THANK YOU.
THE DIVINE POWER HAS DIED DOWN
MISS INARI, WHEN DID YOU LEARN TO CONTROL IT SO WELL?
PHEW
I DON'T KNOW. IT JUST HAPPENED WHEN I THOUGHT, I WANT TO HELP AKEMI!
JUST LIKE THAT?!
BUT AKEMI WASN'T PRAYING TO A GOD, SHE WAS JUST OPENING UP TO ME
I THINK THE DIVINE POWER RESPONDED TO THAT.

INARI?
YEAH?
I'M GOING TO TRY TALKING TO CHIKA.
YEAH! YOU SHOU--
THERE THEY ARE! HEY!

DON'T BE SUCH A JERK, CHIKA!
YOU GUYS ARE SO LATE! WE THOUGHT SOMETHING HAD HAPPENED!
I NEED TO APOLOGIZE...
...FOR WHAT I SAID EARLIER.
THIS IS ALL YOUR FAULT ANYWAY!
AH, CHIKA.
OH YEAH!
はぁ HUFF
はぁ HUFF


I'M REALLY...
...SORRY!!

HUH...
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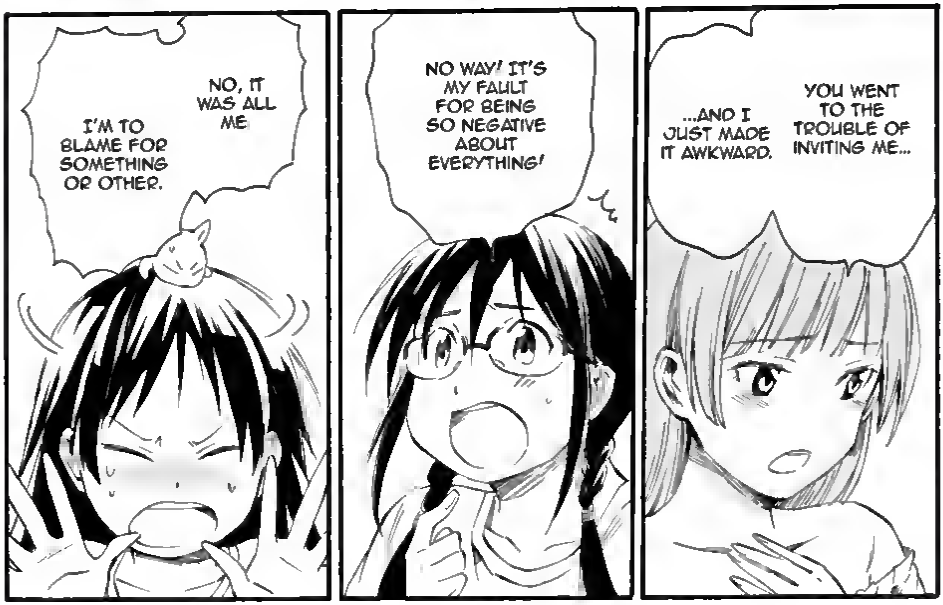

NO, IT WAS ALL ME
I'M TO BLAME FOR SOMETHING OR OTHER.
NO WAY! IT'S MY FAULT FOR BEING SO NEGATIVE ABOUT EVERYTHING!
YOU WENT TO THE TROUBLE OF INVITING ME...
...AND I JUST MADE IT AWKWARD.

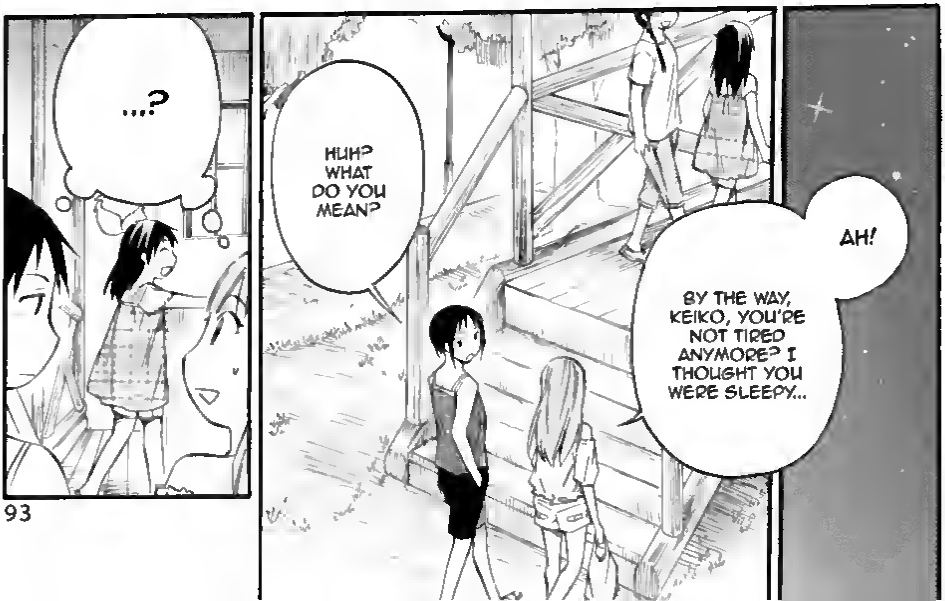
UM, HOW ABOUT A DRINK AS AN APOLOGY?
HERE.
TH-THANKS.
HM?
HOW AM I THE ODD ONE OUT HERE?
I'M SORRY! I'M SORRY! I HAD NO IDEA IT WAS SO CARBONATED!
DON'T WORRY I WAS GOING TO TAKE A BATH SOON ANYWAY...
DRIP
PSSSHHH
CHIKA!!
EXTRA CARBONATED
Funta
ORANGE

IT SAYS RIGHT HERE!
HUH?
I COULDN'T TELL FROM FAR AWAY, BUT..
...SHE SEEMS LIKE A NORMAL GIRL.
...TALKING TO HER LIKE THIS.
I CAN DO THIS.
IF YOU WANT, I COULD LEND YOU SOME...
OH! YES?
...I, UH, HEARD YOU LIKE GIRLS' COMICS.
CLICK
B-BY THE WAY..

...YOU KNOW...
...IF YOU'RE INTERESTED...
...THAT IS.

INARI IS THE TYPE OF PERSON WHO CAN MAKE FRIENDS WITH ANYONE
I WOULD...
I CAN'T BECOME INARI..
I SEE..
FIDGET
BUT ONLY IF YOU WANT TO!
I MEAN..
FIDGET

...BUT IF I TRY HARD ENOUGH...
...LOVE TO BORROW SOME! THANK YOU!
...MAYBE I CAN BECOME A LITTLE MORE LIKE HER.


...?
HUH? WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
AH!
BY THE WAY, KEIKO, YOU'RE NOT TIRED ANYMORE? I THOUGHT YOU WERE SLEEPY..

BEEP
HELLO?
TOKA, DID YOU EAT YET?
MOM
I WAS JUST ABOUT TO.
WHAT TIME ARE YOU COMING HOME TO-MORROW?
WE'LL BE BACK AROUND EIGHT O'CLOCK
WILL YOU FIX DINNER? THAT WOULD SURE MAKE ME HAPPY. ♪
SURE, I CA--
.....

TAP
TAP
TAP
.....
HMMM...
TOKA, YOU DIDN'T GO TO THE BEACH?
WHY WOULD I GO? I'M MORE OF AN INDOORS TYPE.
TOKA?
AH, YEAH, NO PROBLEM, MOM I'LL MAKE DINNER.
BEEP
WHY ARE YOU STILL FOLLOWING ME?!
AUGH!
GRRK
GRRK
WHAT ARE YOU, A GHOST AFTER MY SOUL?!
AT LEAST SAY I'M LIKE A GUARDIAN ANGEL!
BAM
I SAID I'D THINK ABOUT IT.
I NEVER SAID YES.
RUB
RUB
I ASKED IF I COULD COME PLAY VIDEO GAMES AGAIN, REMEMBER?

It's not my fault, is it?
ARE YOU SICK AGAIN?
...
Oh...
I-I'M FINE...
...BUT...MAYBE IF YOU PLAYED GAMES WITH ME, I'D FEEL EVEN BETTER.
TUG
NOPE.
IT'S ALREADY LATE.

INARI WILL BE HOME IN THE EVENING.
THEN YOU CAN SEE HER, TOO.
COME VISIT TOMORROW, AND THROUGH THE FRONT DOOR THIS TIME

...!
IT...

IT'S A PROMISE!

AHHH... SUMMER VACATION IS ALMOST OVER.
WHY DOES IT HAVE TO GO BY SO QUICKLY?
WE REALLY HAVE TO GET OUR SUMMER HOMEWORK DONE.

FWOOM
SO YOU CAN SEE KOJI AGAIN?
This is done!
I'M KIND OF LOOKING FORWARD TO SCHOOL THOUGH...

NO!! I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO THE SCHOOL FESTIVAL.
AH...THE THEATER STUFF IS A PAIN IN THE BUTT.
THE CLASS EXHIBITION STUFF IS BORING, TOO
CRACK
TAKE THAT!
CHIKA, YOU AND KEIKO SHOULD TRY A LITTLE HARDER TO HAVE FUN THIS YEAR..
LAME.
EEK!
LAST YEAR YOU WERE TERRIBLE!
LAST YEAR'S CLASS EXHIBITION

THAT'S BECAUSE IT'S BORING.
UMM..
IF IT'S OKAY...
...CAN I SPEND TIME AT THE SCHOOL FESTIVAL WITH YOU GUYS THIS YEAR?

OF COURSE!
RIGHT, CHIKA?
NOD NOD
IT'S A PROMISE!

WHEEZE
HOW MANY CANS OF JUICE DO YOU OWE ME, NOW?
KEIKO, YOU'RE NOT EVEN TIRED?
I LOST AGAIN!
ARRRRGGHH!

...
I...

...THINK THAT MAYBE...
...I LIKE KEIKO.

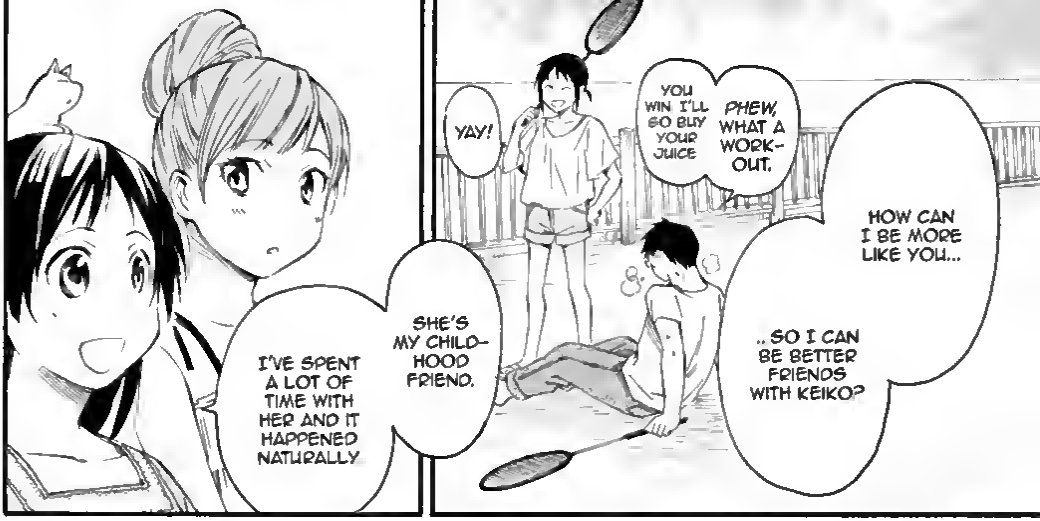
I'M GLAD...
...I COULD FINALLY TELL SOMEONE
I THINK IT MIGHT BE LOVE.

I LOVE IT! I'M MORE THAN OKAY WITH THAT.
AH, R-REALLY?
すき
Wow!

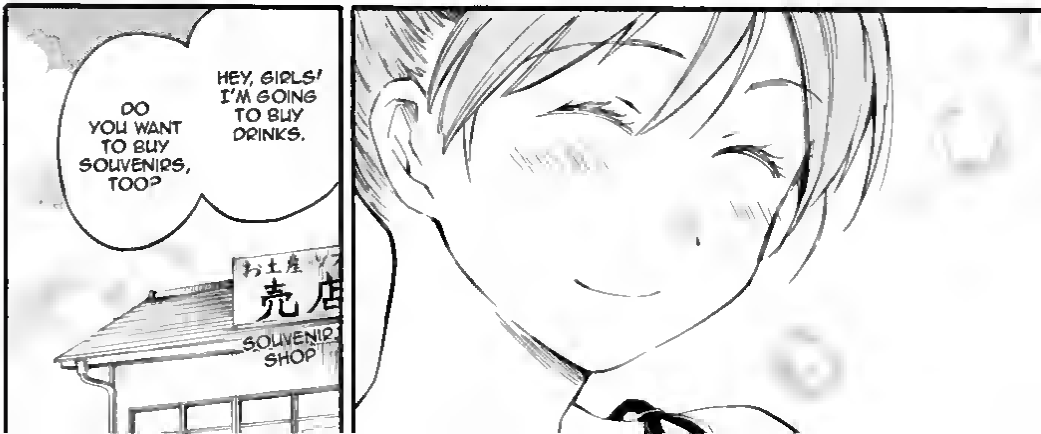
THAT'S KIND OF WEIRD, HUH?
NOT WEIRD, BUT...

OH YEAH, YOU REALLY LIKE THOSE KIND OF BOOKS...
DON'T TELL PEOPLE THAT!
WHAT KIND?

THAT'S WONDERFUL!


I'VE SPENT A LOT OF TIME WITH HER AND IT HAPPENED NATURALLY
SHE'S MY CHILD-HOOD FRIEND.
YAY!
YOU WIN I'LL GO BUY YOUR JUICE
PHEW, WHAT A WORK-OUT.
HOW CAN I BE MORE LIKE YOU...
.. SO I CAN BE BETTER FRIENDS WITH KEIKO?

SO YOU JUST HAVE TO
.. SPEND MORE TIME WITH HER, TOO.


HEY, GIRLS! I'M GOING TO BUY DRINKS.
DO YOU WANT TO BUY SOUVENIRS, TOO?
お土産ソフ
売店
SOUVENIR SHOP

KON?
HUH?
AH, WHAT IS IT?!
TWITCH
I WAS WONDERING ABOUT WHAT WOULD BE A GOOD SOUVENIR FOR MISTRESS UKA...
ARE YOU OKAY?
HEY, KON.
.....
WHAT'S A GOOD SOUVENIR FOR MISTRESS UKA?
I CAN'T WAIT.
I HAVE SO MUCH TO TELL HER ABOUT THIS TRIP.
I WONDER IF SHE WOULD LIKE THAT
ANYTHING FROM YOU WOULD MAKE HER HAPPY.
I GUESS..

OVERJOYED

STUPID GAME!
BANG
AH!

HEY! DO YOU THINK YOU CAN FINISH THE GAME YOURSELF IF I DIE?!
AH! I GOT BOTH MUSHROOMS, SORRY!
CLICK
CLICK

HMPH
I HAVE STUDYING TO DO.
WHATEVER! PLAY BY YOURSELF

CREAK
HEY! THERE ARE GODS THAT LIVE INSIDE THINGS, TOO!

AH!
アルバム1
アルバム2
アルバム3
AGATHA CHRISTIE
SAD FIE
basic
GM
RUSTLE
GM
RUSTLE
I DON'T WANT TO PLAY BY MYSELF
FLIP
FLIP
SLAM
カ!
カ
FLIP
アルバム ALBUM ①
アルバム 1
HEY!
SNATCH
WHO SAID YOU COULD LOOK AT THIS?!
MAY I LOOK AT YOUR PHOTO ALBUM?
AH, SORRY

蓬草小学校 入学式①
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENTRANCE CEREMONY
祝
入学式
いなり6歳
INARI AGE 6
燈日10歳
TOKA AGE 10
蓬草小学校 入学式②

W-WAIT A MINUTE.
さっ
FWIP
さっ
FWIP

HERE.
I'M NOT GOING TO MAKE FUN OF YOU.
すっ
WHISH
TWICH

...
WHAT'S SO FUN ABOUT LOOKING AT SOMEONE ELSE'S PICTURES?

TOKA..
..WHEN YOU WERE GROWING UP, YOU DIDN'T COME TO THE SHRINE VERY OFTEN
EVEN THOUGH I AM A GOD...
...AND YOU LIVED SO CLOSE-BY. I KNOW NOTHING ABOUT YOU.
SO..FROM NOW ON..
...I WANT TO GET TO KNOW YOU BETTER.

...IN JUST SEVENTEEN YEARS.
ほー ooh
YOU'VE GOTTEN SO BIG...
...?!

G---
ぱっ
FWIP
GUYS HAVE BIG HANDS, I GET IT.
I GUESS...
...EVERYONE GROWS UP.

WHERE DID KON GO?
HUH?
HEY, INARI.

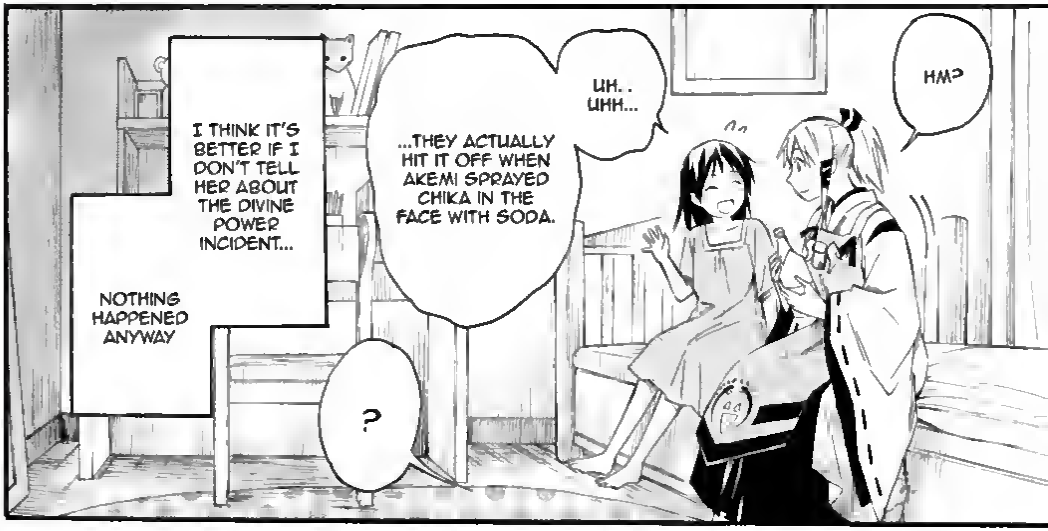
WE'RE BACK!
OH, I SMELL CURRY!
THANKS, TOKA!
PHEW. I'M BEAT.

A GUEST?
CLICK
YAWWWN.

TOKA! I'M BACK!
YOU HAVE A GUEST.

I MUST HAVE FALLEN ASLEEP AGAIN...
WOBBLE
TOKA, WHAT ON EARTH DID YOU DO TO THE GODDESS!
YOU WERE OUT PLAYING ALL DAY AND I HAD TO WATCH OVER HER!
GOOD! I NOTICED ALL GODS REALLY LIKE TO DRINK.
I LOVE IT! THANK YOU.
SAKE!
THAT'S A TERRIBLE IMAGE TO HAVE.
ECHIZEN SAKE
GINJO
ECHIZEN

AKEMI AND CHIKA COULDN'T GET ALONG AT FIRST.
A LOT OF THINGS HAPPENED, BUT IT WAS FUN!
THEN...
WHAT THINGS?
AH...


I THINK IT'S BETTER IF I DON'T TELL HER ABOUT THE DIVINE POWER INCIDENT...
NOTHING HAPPENED ANYWAY
?
...THEY ACTUALLY HIT IT OFF WHEN AKEMI SPRAYED CHIKA IN THE FACE WITH SODA.
UH.. UHH...
HM?

I DON'T WANT TO WORRY MISTRESS UKA
I HAVE THIS FEELING...

...THAT MAYBE..
I WONDER HOW IT TASTES
...MISTRESS UKA AND I DON'T HAVE MUCH MORE TIME TOGETHER.

MISS INARI...
...PLEASE FORGIVE ME, AS THIS GOES AGAINST MY DUTY TO BE WITH YOU AS YOUR FAMILIAR.

FOR NOW, I MUST GO...
Chapter 13 - END

ALBUM
Photo
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BORN MARCH 31
ARIES
BLOOD TYPE O
HEIGHT: 4'7"
WEIGHT: 95 LB.

HOBBIES:
GOING FOR WALKS,
WINDOW-SHOPPING

DREAM: TO BE A BRIDE
FAVORITE COLOR: PINK

INARI
FUSHIMI

UKA-NO-MITAMA

HEIGHT: 5'7" (5'3" AT THE MOMENT, BUT SHE IS CURRENTLY UNABLE TO CHANGE SHAPE)
WEIGHT: ABOUT 132 LB.

LIKES: HUMANS, GAMES
DISLIKES: MALE GODS

Chapter 14
WHERE DID KON GO?
MISTRESS UKA...
WHAT'S UP? I THOUGHT YOU WERE GOING TO STAY INSIDE AND DO YOUR HOMEWORK.
INARI!
MAYBE LOOKING AFTER ME GOT TOO ANNOYING...?
JOY
WORLD

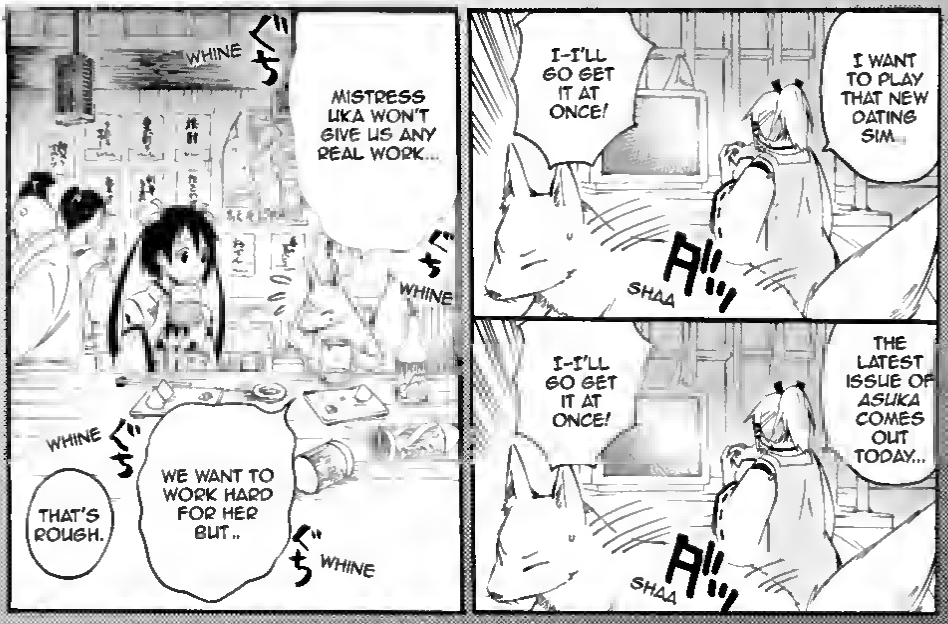
O-OF COURSE NOT!
KON PROBABLY JUST WENT FOR A WALK! DON'T MIND ME.
...?
UM...
YOU HAVEN'T...
...SEEN KON, HAVE YOU?
?
NOT RECENTLY

SHHHHHH
OH MY...
HUH?
CELESTIAL PLAINS

WHAT ARE YOU DOING, KON?
I'M TRAINIIINNNG!
SHHHHH
BRR
BRR
BRR

WHAT KIND OF TRAININGS ARE YOU DOING ALL OF A SUDDEN?
THE TRUTH IS...
..I'VE BEEN THINKING..
SHFF
SHFF
KOFF
KOFF

...IF MISS INARI IS SO UTTERLY CLUELESS...
...I MUST BECOME THE BEST FAMILIAR I CAN BE TO SUPPORT HER!
HOW NOBLE!
SPARKLE
ALL OF MISTRESS UKA'S OTHER FAMILIARS SAID THE SAME THING AT FIRST.
THEY DID?!
AND YET THEY ARE ALL EXCELLENT FAMILIARS!
Eek?!


MISTRESS UKA WON'T GIVE US ANY REAL WORK...
WHINE
WHINE
WHINE
WE WANT TO WORK HARD FOR HER BUT..
THAT'S ROUGH.
I-I'LL GO GET IT AT ONCE!
I WANT TO PLAY THAT NEW DATING SIM...
SHAA
I-I'LL GO GET IT AT ONCE!
THE LATEST ISSUE OF ASUKA COMES OUT TODAY...
SHAA

MISS INARI NEVER TRAINED IN THE CELESTIAL PLAINS, BUT HER DIVINE POWER SEEMS TO BE STABLE.
SHE MUST BE VERY VIRTUOUS IN THE HUMAN WORLD.
ALL OF MY SENIOR FAMILIARS WENT THROUGH SUCH HARD TIMES...!
IT'S IMPORTANT FOR FAMILIARS TO LEARN INDEPENDENCE...
IN THE HUMAN WORLD?
AH!
THAT'S RIGHT! I SHOULD DO SOME "PEOPLE WATCHING" OF MY OWN!
HMM...
ぼーっ
NOT THINKING ANYTHING
I'LL LEAVE AT ONCE AND GIVE IT A TRY!
TROT
TROT
TROT

ピコ
HEE!
...B-BUT...
IF I CHANGE INTO HUMAN FORM, EVEN MISS INARI WON'T BE ABLE TO TELL IT'S ME..
WAG
SWISH
WAG
MY POWER IS NOT FULLY DEVELOPED... I STILL CAN'T HIDE MY EARS AND TAIL...
AND I'M ALREADY TIRED...
WOBBLE
ふら
WOBBLE
ふら
WAG
WAG

むんずっ
YANK!
AHHH!
?
!!
TWITCH
SWIP
TH-THIS IS PART OF MY OUTFIT!
PLEASE DON'T TOUCH IT!
IT'S KOJI'S BROTHER.
SO FLUFFY!
TAIL.
TAIL.

EEEEEK?!
W-WHERE IS YOUR FAMILY?!
あわわわ
AHHH
PLEASE DON'T CRY.
!
WIBBLE
じゅわっ
I HATE YOU, KOJIIII!
WAAAHHHH
てやーっ
WHOOPS. I WALKED INTO THAT ONE.
SNIFF
ズビャー
STOP WIPING YOUR SNOT ON MY TAIL!

OH...
...HEY, INARI!

YEAH, IT HAS BEEN A WHILE.
BOW
BOW
BOW
AH, L-L-LONG TIME NO SEE!
THE WEATHER IS JUST MARVELOUS TODAY...

NO, WE KIND OF HAD A FIGHT AND...
...I'M SURE HE WILL BE RIGHT BACK.
IS HE LOST?!
HUH? NO I HAVEN'T...
HEY, HAVE YOU SEEN SHIRO AROUND HERE?

NOOO! I WANT TO DO FIREWORKS WITH MOM!
WOW
WHAT? YOU FIGHT WITH YOUR BROTHER, TOO?!
GRRR
I WANT TO PLAY WITH MOM!
NO!
WAHHHH!
MOM HAD TO GO TO WORK SUDDENLY...
...BUT I'LL PLAY WITH YOU!
AH...AH...
I...
TWITCH
STOP BEING SO SELFISH SHIRO!
MOM IS BUSY!

I FEEL LIKE I MAKE HIM CRY ALL THE TIME.
WITH DAD NOT HERE ANYMORE, I NEED TO LOOK AFTER HIM BETTER.
KOJI...
I HATE YOU, KOJIIII!
SHIRO!
OH, SORRY.
I DIDN'T MEAN TO MAKE YOU FEEL AWKWARD.
NO, IT'S NOT AWKWARD!
KOJI, YOU TRY YOUR BEST AT EVERYTHING.
I'M SURE SHIRO UNDER-STANDS THAT.

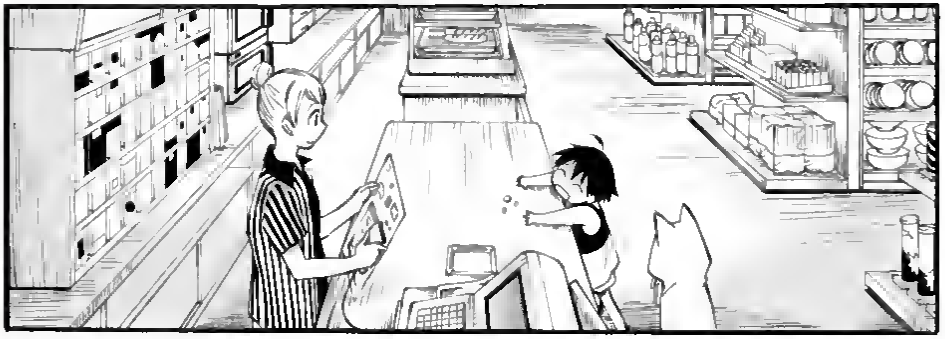
I'M LOOKING FOR A PERSON (?) RIGHT NOW, TOO. LET'S LOOK TOGETHER!
.....
WE MIGHT BE BETTER OFF SPLITTING UP.
I'D FEEL BAD IF YOU HELPED.
DON'T WORRY!

UH-HUH
SWIP SWIP
SO THAT'S WHY YOU RAN AWAY.
OOHHHH, I SEE.

HUMANS ARE SO COMPLICATED..
MAYBE KOJI HATES MOM...
WHAT?
THAT CAN'T BE POSSIBLE!
I KNOW!
LET'S GO TO WHERE MOM WORKS! ☆
ACK! MAYBE YOU SHOULDN'T DO TH--
GAH!
SKWEEZ
STOP PULLING ON ME..WAIT!
I'M GOING WITH YOU, TOO?!
WE'RE GOING!

EEK
OKAY, I'LL GO! SO LET GO OF ME!
WHICH WAY SHOULD WE GO?!
I DON'T KNOW!
I DON'T UNDERSTAND CHILDREN..
FIREWORKS! FIREWORKS!
!
AH...! AH...!
CREAK
WHAT IS IT NOW?!

JINGLE
チャリン…
HEY THERE!
DO YOU HAVE MONEY?
THESE!
PLEASE!
TUP TUP
たたっ



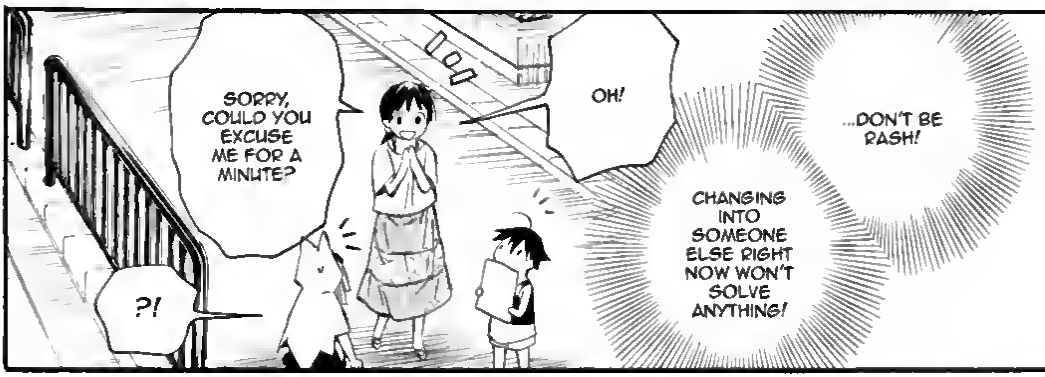
SKFF
NO!
I'M SORRY. WE'LL PUT THESE BACK.
SORRY, BUT..
?

I'LL BUY IT!

BUT SHIRO, YOU SHOULD TELL YOUR BROTHER WHEN YOU'RE GOING TO PLAY WITH YOUR FRIEND.
HE WAS VERY WORRIED ABOUT YOU.
IT WAS NOTHING!
THANKS, INARI.
...
TWITCH
TWITCH
GOOD THING I HADN'T SPENT MY ALLOWANCE YET THIS MONTH.
HAPPY CHILD FIREWORKS
ENJOY THE FIREWORKS, BUT PLAY SAFELY

YOU SHOULD COME, TOO!
UM, WHERE DOES YOUR MOM WORK?
I'M GOING TO TAKE THESE...
..AND GO SEE MY MOM AT WORK!
I DON'T KNOW.
BUT WE'LL FIND HER!
SHIRO...
...REALLY WANTS TO DO FIREWORKS WITH HIS MOM.
I WISH HE COULD.

..IT IS SO OBVIOUS, BUT...
...I KNOW WHAT YOU ARE THINKING...
MISS INARI...


SORRY, COULD YOU EXCUSE ME FOR A MINUTE?
?!
OH!
...DON'T BE RASH!
CHANGING INTO SOMEONE ELSE RIGHT NOW WON'T SOLVE ANYTHING!

HUH? NO, I'M GOING ALONE.
NO, NO, NO! ALLOW ME TO ACCOMPANY YOU!
FLAP FLAP FLAP
ばばば
AHHH! I NEED TO GO, TOO!

FLASH
ピロ
I NEED TO GO TO THE TOILET. CAN YOU WAIT HERE?
TOILET = KEY WORD

THIS KID...!
SHIRO
OKAY.
NO NO NO. LET'S PLAY TOGETHER SINCE WE'RE ALL HERE.
SHIRO, CAN YOU PLAY WITH YOUR FRIEND FOR A BIT?
FLAP
FLAP
OKAY.
SHIRO
FLAP FLAP
?
WHY ARE YOU GETTING IN MY WAY?!
WHERE'S YOUR FAMILY, ANYWAY?
MY FAMILY IS WITH UKA-NO-MITAMA-NO-KAMI AT INARI SHRINE. WHY DO YOU ASK?

...
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING, KON?
POKE

SNIFF
AH!
IT'LL BE OKAY, SHIRO! I'M GOING TO MAKE IT SO YOU CAN---

HUH?
RRRUMMMBLLLE
HUNGRY.
I'M..
PUNCH
SWAH!

SEE CHAPTER 2
I STILL OWE KOJI FOR WHEN HE BOUGHT ME DINNER.
HMM, I HOPE I HAVE ENOUGH MONEY...
THIS, TOO...
LIKE
LIKE
どっちゃり...
SO MUCH...
CARAMEL
POTATO CHIPS
CHOCO-SNACK
SNACK RINGS
TEST
TLIP
HUH?
正しく楽しい!
COOKIES
MOM!!
...!

!
SHIRO? WHY ARE YOU HERE?
2

...!
HEH HEH, HELLO MRS. TANBABASHI.
INARI BOUGHT THEM FOR ME.
STOP THAT. YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'RE SUCKING UP TO HER.
SO SHE WORKS AT THE SUPER-MARKET..
WHERE DID YOU GET THOSE?!
MOM, LET'S DO FIREWORKS TOGETHER.

DID SHIRO MAKE YOU BUY THOSE?
NO, NO! I WANTED TO BUY THEM FOR HIM!
I'M SO SORRY!
COULD YOU HURRY THIS UP ALREADY?
AH, I'M VERY SORRY.
WHA?!
BOW
I'M SORRY
SO SORRY.
BOW

WHY DON'T WE GO HOME.

.....
SHIRO.

I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT BE CRAZY ENOUGH TO COME HERE.
KOJI!

DON'T YOU GET IT? MOM'S WORKING. YOU'LL JUST GET IN THE WAY!
TWITCH
KOJI, IT'S NOT WHAT YOU THINK.
WE DIDN'T COME ON PURPOSE. IT WAS A COINCIDENCE
SHAA!
!
SHIRO, WAIT!
...
KON, PLEASE...

LET ME CHANGE...
...INTO KOJI'S MOM.
!
JOY
WORLD
CHANGING SHAPE NOW WILL ONLY MAKE THINGS MORE COMPLICATED!
I KNOW...
IT WON'T FIX ANYTHING...
MODE:NATURA
...THAT CHANGING SHAPE WON'T MAKE SHIRO'S REAL WISH COME TRUE...
...BUT IF I CAN HELP HIM STOP CRYING, EVEN FOR A SHORT TIME...
PLEASE!
LET ME DO IT

WAHHH...
SHIRO, I PROMISE I WON'T GET MAD ANYMORE.
UH--
...SO CAN YOU WAIT UNTIL MOM GETS HOME?
HEH HEH.
I'M HERE...

MOM?
I GOT OUT OF WORK FOR A FEW MINUTES.
SO WE CAN DO FIREWORKS FOR A LITTLE BIT.
?!
WAHHHHHHHH!!

W-WHAT'S WRONG?!
I'M SORRY! I'M SORRY!
WAHHHH!!
...!

IT'S OKAY, SHIRO.
MOM WILL GO BACK TO WORK NOW
SORRY MOM, YOU CAN GO BACK TO WORK.
HUH?
...AND FEEL BAD ABOUT IT NOW, DON'T YOU?
WAHHH...
YOU THINK MAYBE MOM GOT IN TROUBLE AT WORK...
KOJI ALREADY KNEW HOW TO STOP SHIRO FROM CRYING...
...WITHOUT USING ANY DIVINE POWER
OH, I SEE NOW.
S-S-SORRY...
SOB
SOB
IT'S OK, YOU'RE A GOOD BOY.

MISS INARI TRULY IS A MYSTERIOUS HUMAN...
YEAH...
SHE ACTS WITHOUT THINKING AND FEELS BAD WHEN SHE MAKES MISTAKES...
...AND YET SHE DOESN'T FEAR MAKING THOSE MISTAKES AND MOVES FORWARD...
...IT'S RATHER WONDERFUL.

HUMANS ARE SO COMPLEX.
AND I SEE NOW THAT THAT IS WHAT MAKES THEM SO WONDERFUL!
SORRY, INARI I'LL PAY YOU BACK FOR THE FIREWORKS LATER
NO, THAT'S OKAY. I'M HAVING FUN, TOO.
INARI, WATCH OUT FOR THE PINWHEEL FIREWORKS!
WHOA! IT'S COMING RIGHT FOR ME!
AH HA HA.
AH...
WHAT?

HOW DO I SAY THIS? WHENEVER I'M WITH YOU, I...
HMM...
JOY
WORL

!
KOJI! SHIRO!
...?

REALLY? HOW COME MY...?
MOM?!
マナーにしてた
Oh it was on silent
ONE OF MY COWORKERS OFFERED TO SWITCH SHIFTS WHEN SHE SAW SHIRO COME IN TODAY
はぁ
HUFF
はぁ
HUFF
I FINALLY FOUND YOU GUYS.
YOU WEREN'T ANSWERING YOUR PHONE
...!
MOM, YOU DIDN'T GET IN TROUBLE, DID YOU?
WE DIDN'T WANT TO CAUSE YOU ANY PROBLEMS..
OW!
BONK

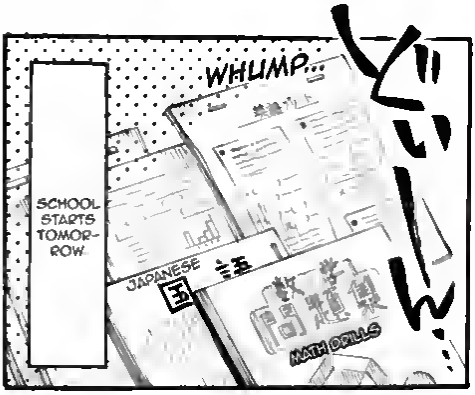
はぁぁぁ…
AHHH
?
STOP SAYING THAT ALREADY, KOJI.
IT'S A MOTHER'S JOB TO SPOIL HER CHILDREN

...THAT MY POWER WOULD BE TOO MUCH FOR INARI.
I KNEW IN THE BEGINNING...
THEN, WHY--?

I ALSO KNOW THAT HUMANS...
...HAVE THE POWER TO OVERCOME GREAT OBSTACLES.

DO YOU KNOW WHY I MADE YOU INARI'S FAMILIAR, KON?
MIYA TOLD ME EVERYTHING.
Eek!
HOW DID YOU KNOW ABOUT THAT?!
FORGIVE ME
IF YOU SEE NOW HOW GREAT HUMANS ARE
THEN RUNNING AWAY WAS GOOD FOR YOU...
MISS INARI'S OWN POWER..
Oh!

MORE THAN YOUR ABILITIES AS A GOOD FAMILIAR...
...IT WAS BECAUSE I THOUGHT YOU WERE THE MOST LIKELY TO BECOME ..
...GOOD FRIENDS WITH INARI



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Chapter 15

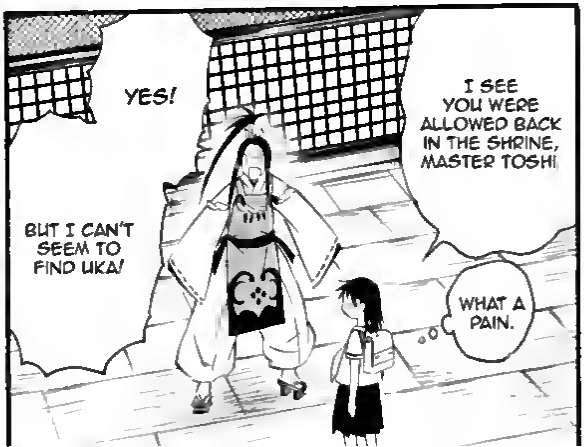
TODAY IS THE FIRST DAY OF THE NEW SCHOOL TERM.
CLAP
CLAP
RATTLE
RATTLE

I PRAY THAT KOJI AND I...
...GET TO TALK A BUNCH THIS TERM, TOO!

LA DI DOO
I'VE FINISHED ALL MY WORK, SO I'VE COME BAAAACK!
♥
LA DI DA

WAIIIT!
OKAY, LET'S GO.

FLASHBACK
WHERE IS UKA?
HUH?
SHE WAS JUST HERE
AH?


I SEE YOU WERE ALLOWED BACK IN THE SHRINE, MASTER TOSHI
YES!
BUT I CAN'T SEEM TO FIND UKA!
WHAT A PAIN.

BANG
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WAHHHH
WHY CAN'T I SEE HER?
WHY?
キ
SQUEAK
WHY DON'T YOU NOTICE (THAT SHE HATES YOU)? WHY?

TODAY IS THE FIRST DAY OF THE NEW SCHOOL TERM.

TUP
INARI, YOU'LL BE LATE.
YOU'RE RIGHT. SEE YOU LATER!

HEY, HUMAN. YOU WOULDN'T KNOW WHERE LIKA IS, WOULD YOU?
HUH?
AH, TERRIBLY SORRY!
THAT WAS A DUMB QUESTION
WELL, I'D BETTER GET GOING, TOO.
WAIIIT!
YOU HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH LIKA, SO...
ギリギリ
CLOSE
...OF COURSE YOU WOULD HAVE NO IDEA.
YOU STILL DON'T GET IT, DO YOU?
I HAVE ABSOLUTELY NOTHING TO DO WITH HER.
YOU STILL BELIEVE YOU CAN FOOL ME...
...EVEN THOUGH YOU DESERVE TO DIE FOR HAVING A DEFENSELESS GODDESS IN YOUR BED?

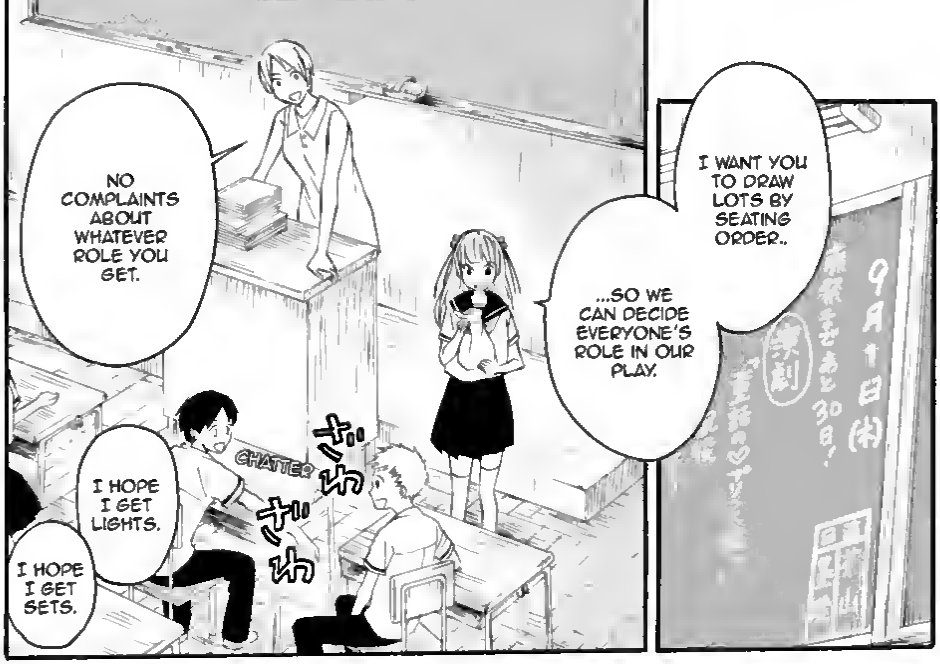
AND I HAVE NEVER THOUGHT OF THAT GODDESS OR GHOST OR, WHATEVER SHE IS, AS A WOMAN...
...NOT EVEN...
...ONCE...
.....
SHE ONLY LETS DOWN HER DEFENSES...
...BECAUSE SHE DOESN'T SEE ME AS A MAN.
WHAT?
...!

THOSE ARE YOUR TRUE FEELINGS?
YOU AREN'T LYING, ARE YOU?!
!
O-OF COURSE NOT!
I HAVE TESTS AND MY OWN LIFE TO THINK ABOUT.
IF I WANTED SOMEONE TO HANG OUT WITH, I'D FIND SOMEONE OF MY OWN KIND.
THAT'S...
...USED TO LIVE HAPPILY TOGETHER IN THE CELESTIAL PLAINS, BUT NOW SHE ONLY CARES FOR TWO-DIMENSIONAL MEN AND WON'T ALLOW ME TO EVEN TOUCH HER--
..EXACTLY RIGHT! DID YOU KNOW THAT? IKA ANO I...
WHINE
WHINE
WHINE
-LET GO!
CREAK
IF YOU ARE HER FRIEND, THEN YOU MUST HELP US GET BACK TOGETHER!
OKAY, WHATEVER! JUST LET GO!
GRRR

REALLY? I GUESS YOU ARE NOT SUCH A BAD HUMAN, AFTER ALL!
COME BACK SOON!

DING DONG
CHATTER
CHATTER
.....

KOJI SEEMS A LITTLE DIFFERENT.
!
INARI, GOOD MORNING!
GOOD... MOR... NING?
CHIKA!
Sad!
WIBBLE
ブルブル
YOU MIGHT LOSE HIM.
KOJI...
..YOU SAID YOU WERE TOO SHY TO TALK TO GIRLS LAST TERM, BUT..


I WANT YOU TO DRAW LOTS BY SEATING ORDER..
...SO WE CAN DECIDE EVERYONE'S ROLE IN OUR PLAY.
NO COMPLAINTS ABOUT WHATEVER ROLE YOU GET.
I HOPE I GET LIGHTS.
I HOPE I GET SETS.
CHATTER
ざわ
ざわ

I CAME UP WITH A GOOD STORY OVER SUMMER BREAK!
DON'T UNDER-ESTIMATE ME!
YEAH, SURE YOU DID.
SCRIPT WRITER
WHAT KIND OF TITLE IS THAT, THOUGH? IT SOUNDS FAMILIAR.

ざわ CHATTER
ざわ CHATTER
REALLY?
...WITH A LOT OF FAIRY TALE ELEMENTS MIXED IN
It's pretty funny
IT LOOKS LIKE A LOVE STORY...

WELL, THE SCHOOL FESTIVAL HAPPENS ONLY ONCE A YEAR, SO I WANT YOU ALL TO MAKE SOME NICE MEMORIES.
RUMBLE
A LOVE STORY...
RUMBLE
CALM DOWN...
PLEASE BE THE ROLE OF KOJI'S LOVER...
INARI'S TUR--!
FWUMP!

HOW DID...
...THIS HAPPEN?

王子…丹波橋
姫…伏見
松

MISS INARI...
...DID YOU USE YOUR DIVINE POWER?
CHATTER
ざわざわ

I'M SO HAPPY!
OH WELL...
...IF SHE DID IT SUB-CONSCIOUSLY, THEN THERE'S NOTHING WE CAN DO ABOUT IT.

HEH HEH, WHAT?
AH!

*THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST. THIRTY DAYS UNTIL THE SCHOOL FESTIVAL.
OKAY, IT'S DECIDED!
AFTER THE SCHOOL FESTIVAL, WE ALSO HAVE SPORTS DAY RIGHT AWAY IT'S A CRAZY SCHEDULE, BUT...
.....
...WELL...
...DO YOUR BEST!
YEAH!
I WONDER IF EVERYONE FORGOT ABOUT THE MIDTERMS AFTER SPORTS DAY...
I WON'T SAY ANY-THING.
YAY
YAY

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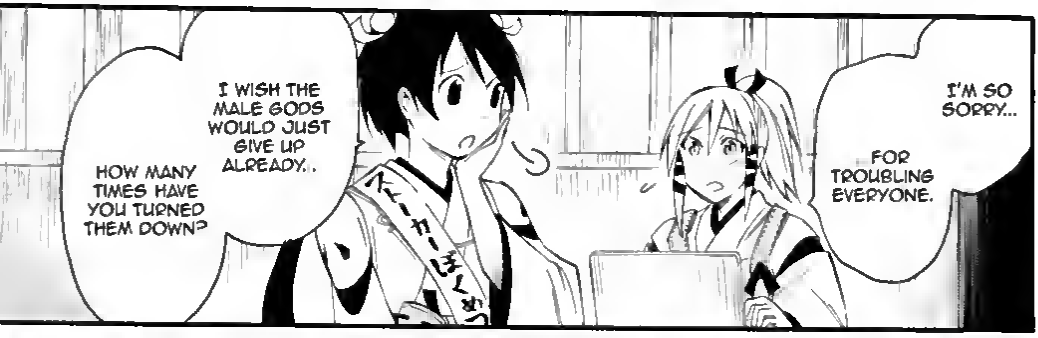
BAM
ACCORDINGLY WE, THE FIVE MAIN GODS OF THE INARI SHRINES...
.. WILL BEGIN OUR ANNUAL MISTRESS UKA ANTI-STALKER CAMPAIGN CUSTOM!

SASH READS: "ANTI-STALKER MOVEMENT"

IT IS IMPORTANT TO PRESERVE MISTRESS UKA'S SANITY.
SHI-NO-KAMI
BUT, AS HARVEST TIME IS NEAR..
TANAKA-NO-KAMI
THE HUMAN WORLD AND THE CELESTIAL PLAINS ARE BOTH VERY BUSY THIS YEAR
I'M SURE THE MALE GODS WILL BE QUIETER THAN LAST YEAR, DON'T YOU?


HOW MANY TIMES HAVE YOU TURNED THEM DOWN?
I WISH THE MALE GODS WOULD JUST GIVE UP ALREADY..
I'M SO SORRY..
FOR TROUBLING EVERYONE.

?!
. SHOULDN'T YOU CONSIDER ACCEPTING AT LEAST ONE MEETING WITH A PROSPECTIVE SUITOR?
IN THAT CASE..
SATA-HIKO-NO-KAMI

A-AS I'VE SAID MANY TIMES...
I DON'T WANT A PARTNER WHO'S CONCERNED ONLY WITH RANK..
THERE'S NO NEED TO CHOOSE A PARTNER RIGHT AWAY.
YOU NEED ONLY TO SHOW YOU ARE CONSIDERING PROPOSALS.
YOU MAY MEET THE RIGHT PERSON WHEN YOU LEAST EXPECT IT.
TH-THERE IS NO WAY...
IF YOU HAVE ALREADY PROMISED YOURSELF TO ANOTHER..
...THAT IS ANOTHER MATTER, HOWEVER.
RIGHT, SO MEETING A SUITOR IT IS.
OKAY, WE'RE DONE HERE.
Let's go!
ヒソヒソ
EEK!
ヒソ

MIYA, HELP ME!
UGGHH...
ガチャー
SOB
...IS THERE REALLY NO MALE GOD THAT YOU DESIRE?
OF COURSE NOT!
OKAY, SO MAYBE FORGET TRUE LOVE
IS THERE ANYONE YOU JUST ENJOY SPENDING TIME WITH?
OF COURSE N--
...
.....

MIS-TRESS UKA?
IT COULDN'T BE
TOKA IS A HUMAN
TWITCH
MISTRESS UKA!
AH!
WHO MIGHT YOU BE?
YOU MUST BE LITTLE MISS INARI.
SORRY FOR INTERRUPTING. I DIDN'T REALIZE YOU HAD GUESTS.

Y-YOU'RE NOT INTERRUPTING ANYTHING, INARI.
OKAY, EVERYONE. I THINK THAT'S ENOUGH FOR TODAY.
?
.....
KLATTER
WELL, THAT WAS A GOOD MEET-ING.
I HOPE SHE GOT THE MES-SAGE
KLATTER

PAT PAT
なで
なで
THAT'S GREAT!
HEE HEE! ♥
KOJI AND YOU IN A LOVE STORY!
REALLY?
YOU'LL BE FINE
NO MATTER WHAT HAPPENS, I'M HERE TO HELP YOU.
!
BUT I'M SO EXCITED, IT'S SCARY.
!
HUH?
LIKE SOMETHING BAD WILL HAPPEN NEXT OR SOMETHING..
.....

...IF YOU EVER HAVE ANY PROBLEMS, PLEASE TELL ME.
YOU, TOO, MISTRESS UKA...
I CAN BE A GREAT HELP...
...BECAUSE I'M YOUR FRIEND!

INARI...
...IS SO CUTE.
初午
葛葉
とうか
より
MAYBE IT'S BECAUSE
SHE'S SO MUCH IN LOVE.
I WANT TO...
...FIND A LOVE LIKE THAT, TOO.

2-A
HMM
AHH
EEK
WHAT IS YOUR UGLY FACE LOOKING AT?
THE NEXT MORNING
DING DONG

Good morning
SO YOU DIDN'T GO TO THE SHRINE THIS MORNING?
I SEE...
TOKA FUSHIMI HAS AGREED TO ASSIST ME, SO I AM LEAVING THINGS TO HIM AT THE MOMENT.
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU ARE DOING?
I HAD SOME FREE TIME SO I CAME TO HANG OUT!
THERE ARE SO MANY LOVELY LADIES HERE

TOKA SAID THAT?!
GRRR
I GUESS TOKA DOESN'T KNOW THAT MISTRESS UKA HATES MASTER TOSHI'S GUTS
MORE IMPORTANTLY...

IF YOU LOVE MISTRESS UKA SO MUCH...
WOULD YOU LIKE TO GO ON A DATE WITH ME?
SURE!
...DON'T BE OPENLY CHEATING WITH OTHER GIRLS!

HAJIM, CAN YOU SHOW ME YOUR MATH NOTEBOOK?
KOJI.
CHECK IT OUT!
PWA!!
WHAT IS IT?

WHO KNEW?
.....
SO THAT GUY REALLY WAS INARI'S BOYFRIEND
ARGH!
ARGH!

A KISS SCENE HAS MORE IMPACT, DON'T YOU THINK?
B-B-B-BUT TH-THAT'S--!!
AFTER SCHOOL
A KI-KI--
KISS SCENE?!
YOU'RE OKAY WITH IT, RIGHT?
YEAH.
?!
HE AGREED SO EASILY!
INARI.
Y-Y-YES?!
DON'T WORRY..
...YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE SO GROSSED OUT.

HUH?
WE CAN JUST PRETEND TO DO IT.
UH...
...DID I SEEM LIKE I WAS GROSSED OUT?
KOJI, IT'S NOT THAT...
MORE IMPORTANTLY, YOU HAVE A LOT OF LINES, INARI. CAN YOU REMEMBER THEM ALL?
WHAT?!

YOU CAN STILL SWITCH ROLES WITH SOMEONE IF YOU DON'T WANT TO DO IT.
...!
I CAN DO IT!

YOU CAN COUNT ON ME!
!

I SEE...
I...
FWIP

KOJI, I CAN'T REACH. CAN YOU HELP ME?
AH, OKAY.

WE TALKED SO MUCH BEFORE SUMMER VACATION..
..SO WHY IS KOJI ACTING DIFFERENT NOW?
INARI!!
TWITCH
DIDN'T YOU SAY YOU WEREN'T FEELING WELL?
N-NO, I'M FINE!
WHY DON'T YOU GO TO THE NURSE'S OFFICE?

...!
SHH
IT'S HARD BEING HERE RIGHT NOW, ISN'T IT?
GO GET SOME FRESH AIR OUTSIDE
KEIKO I'M FI--
YEAH, THAT'S FINE BUT ARE YOU OKAY?
I'M GOING TO TAKE HER THERE IS THAT OKAY?
...
THANKS.

HM?
BUT, PERSONALLY, I LIKE LIKA'S SMELL THE BEST.
HE'S STILL AROUND
.. ALL THE GIRLS SMELL SO LOVELY.
AHH...
LET'S GO
DING DONG
キーン コーン
カーン
BYE BYE

IS THAT...?
WHERE DID SHE GO?
NO, IT CAN'T BE..
WHOOSH
ﾊｱｱｱｱ...
IS SHE THERE?
I DON'T SEE HER.
2-A

I'LL TRY TO MEMORIZE A FEW LINES, THEN HEAD BACK
I DON'T WANT TO CAUSE KOJI ANY PROBLEMS
SNIFFLE

I JUST NEED TO TRY MY BEST.
NO OTHER GIRLS ARE GONNA TAKE MY ROLE..
INARI!!

SHAA
MASTER TOSHI, ARE YOU STILL HERE?!
INARI, BEHIND YOU!
HUH?
SHWIP

BUTTERFLY-SCALES
リンプン
ACK!!!
PERFECT CAPTURE
SWISH
TCH.
SHING
SHAAA

RUSTLE
ゴソ
ゴソ
ゴソ
RUSTLE
I GOT SWEPT UP BY A MOTH. I MAY NEVER RECOVER
THAT'S NO MOTH, THAT'S A BUTTERFLY GOD!
HURRY UP AND GET OUT!
LET'S GO!
ブーン
FLAP
ブーン
FLAP
MALE GODS DISGUISED AS HUMANS SNUCK ONTO THE SCHOOL GROUNDS.
LIKE YOU!
IT'S THAT TIME OF THE YEAR
MY GUESS IS THEY'RE ALL AIMING TO MARRY INTO A TOP-TIER POSITION!
A-ARE YOU TRYING TO SAY THAT...
...IF THEY CAN'T HAVE MISTRESS UKA, THEY MEAN TO TAKE MISS INARI AS A BRIDE?!

WHA?
MISTRESS AMATERASU AND I WERE WATCHING THE HUMAN WORLD, WHEN...
SLAM
WE HAVE A PROBLEM, MISTRESS UKA!
...A GROUP OF MALE GODS APPEARED AT MISS INARI'S SCHOOL...
?!
保健室
REALLY?
I SEE..
I'VE BEEN HERE THE WHOLE TIME AND HAVEN'T SEEN HER.
HUH? INARI?
NURSE'S OFFICE
保健室

I WONDER WHERE SHE WENT EVERYONE'S WORRIED..
PEEK
キョロ
キョロ
PEEK
I DON'T GET IT. I COULD ACT NORMAL BEFORE SUMMER VACATION...
...SO WHY DOES TALKING TO HER MAKE ME SO NERVOUS NOW?
Is it because of the play?
ヒュオオオ
FWOOOO

YOU ARE ALL BEING VERY TROUBLE-SOME.
IF ANYTHING HAPPENED TO THIS GIRL, UKA WOULD BE VERY SAD

MASTER TOSHI, WHY ARE YOU GETTING IN OUR WAY?
THAT ISN'T EVEN MISTRESS UKA!

GRRR...
I DIDN'T WANT TO USE THIS BUT...
SWIP

FROM A HIDDEN CAMERA
BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP

BA-DUMP
BA-DUMP

MY PRECIOUS PHOTOS!
ヒュウ
WHOOSH
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WHISH
WHY ARE ALL YOU MALE GODS SUCH DIRTY SCUMBAGS!
NOOOO!
LITTLE MISS INARI, WOULD YOU CONSIDER MARRYING US?
AND ANYWAY...
!
INARI?
MISTRESS UKA AND I AREN'T THE LEAST BIT INTERESTED IN ANY OF YOU MALE GODS!

...THERE'S ALREADY SOMEONE I LIKE!

FLIP
WE MIGHT NOT BE THE BEST LOOKING AT FIRST, BUT YOU'LL GET USED TO US.
W-WHAT?!
じり
INCH
じり
INCH
WE DON'T MIND IF YOU MARRY THAT HUMAN AND US GODS.
WHAT THE HECK?! GET BACK!

SWISH
NO WAY IN--!!

I NEVER THOUGHT THAT GIVING HER DIVINE POWER
.. WOULD RESULT IN SOMETHING LIKE THIS.
MISTRESS UKA...
INARI IS A HUMAN DON'T INVOLVE HER IN THIS.
GO BACK TO THE CELESTIAL PLAINS AND TELL EVERYONE
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...THAT NEXT MONTH...
...I WILL AGREE TO MARRY ONE OF THE MALE GODS.

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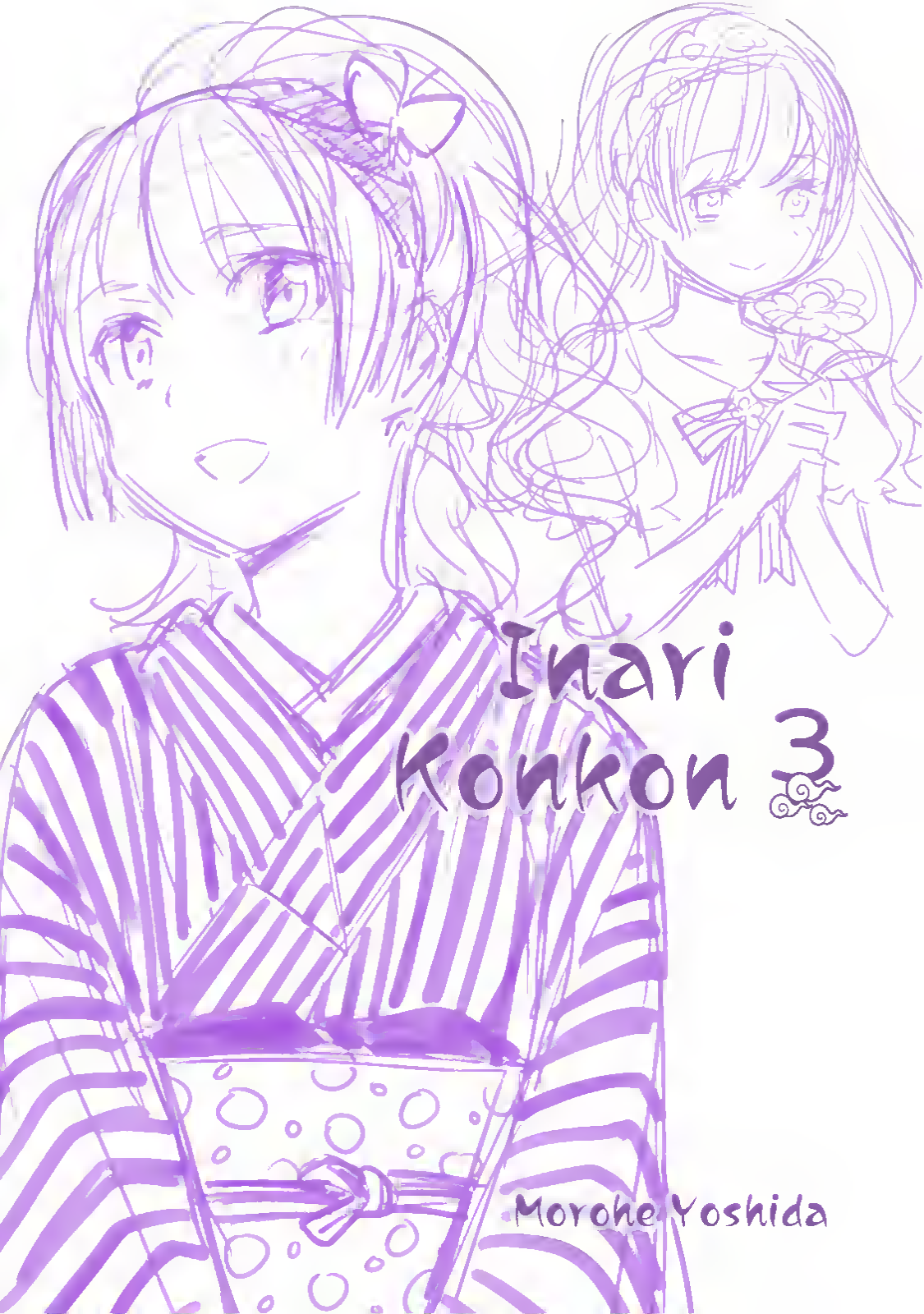
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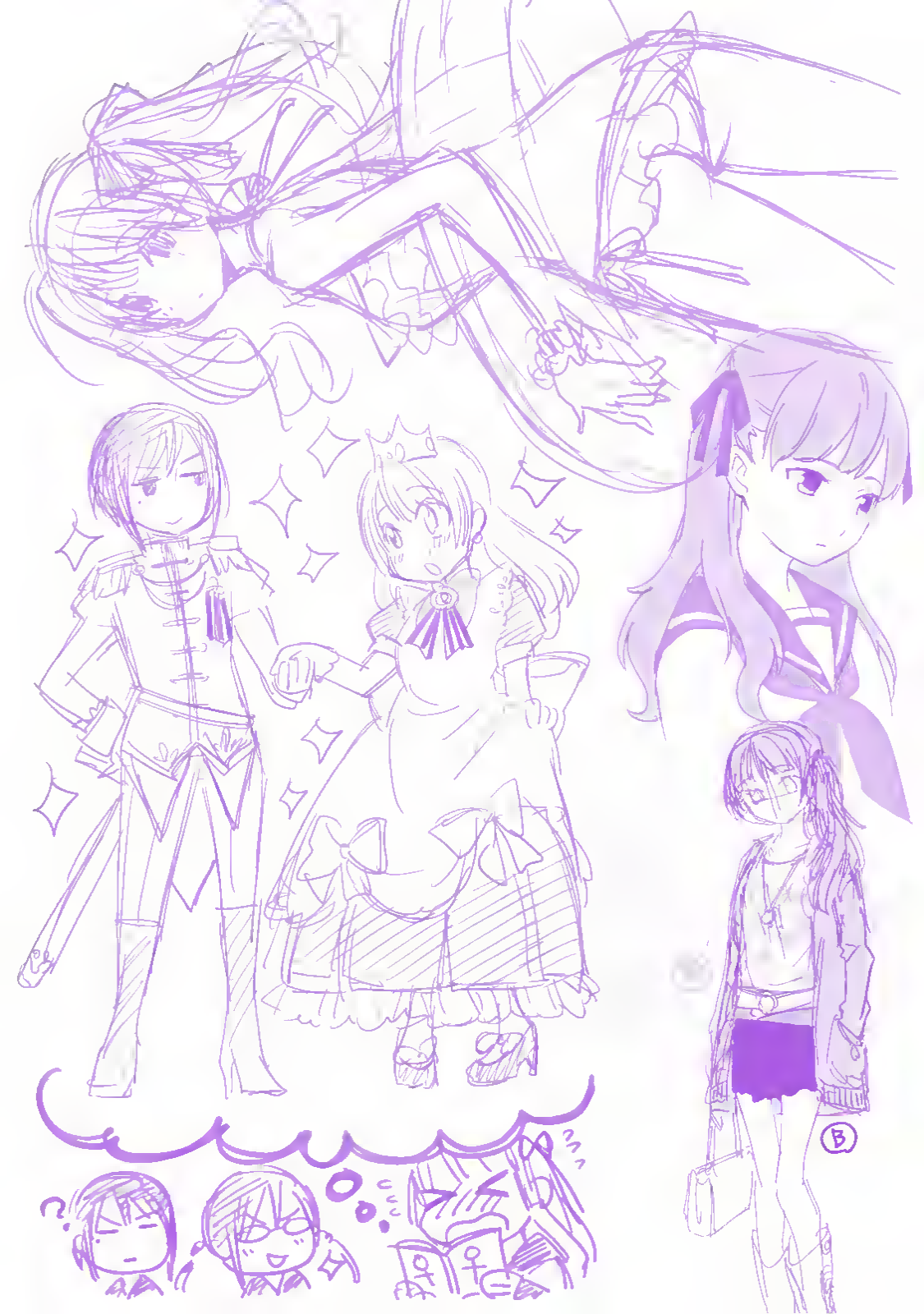

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